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CHINESE OVERPOWERED

Japanese Troops Gain a Victory at Kashan.

FIVE HUNDRED CHINAMEN KILLED

Li Hung Chang, China's Viceroy, Apologizes to Great Britan for a Blunder of His Subordinates—Serious Riots in China and Japan.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Japanese legation here received this dispatch from Tokio: "General Oshima, commander of the troops in Corea, reports that after severe fighting from 8 to 9 a. m., on July 29, he won a decisive victory over the Chinese army intrenched at Kashan. Every intrenchment was taken, and more than 500 out of 2,500 Chinese troops were killed and wounded. Our casualties were five officers and seventy men killed and wounded.

"The enemy dispersed and fled toward Hong Chow, intending, perhaps, to avail themselves of the Corean boats. In the vicinity of Genshan our troops captured many flags, much ammunition and four guns. General Oshima eventually established his headquarters at Kashan."

A dispatch to The Times from Tientsin says that thirteen Japanese who were forcibly taken by the Chinese from on board the British steamer Chun King were at once returned to that vessel upon the order of the viceroy, who issued such instructions the moment he was informed of the incident. The viceroy also sent an apology to the British consul, and ordered the punishment of those responsible for the removal of the Japanese from the ship.

The government has received no confirmation of the report that the emperor of China has deprived Viceroy Li Hung Chang of the yellow riding jacket, and the report is discredited.

Serious Riots in China and Japan.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 6.—Serious riots have occurred at Kobe, Japan, and Taku, China. In the later place the Chinese openly insulted the members of the Japanese embassy, who were returning to Japan from Pekin. The American agent at Taku has forbidden the steamer Smith to land munitions of war intended for transshipment to Formosa. The Smith is a Chinese vessel flying the American flag.

Japanese Warship Reported Sunk.

BERLIN, Aug. 6.—The Chinese minister here has received an official dispatch stating that the Chinese ironclad warship Ting Yuen rammed and sank a Japanese warship off Jerome gulf on July 23.

Twenty-five Thrown from a Bridge.

BELLAIRE, O., Aug. 6.—While returning from St Clairsville about midnight a picnic wagon, in which were twenty-five persons, drove on to Whisky Run bridge, traversing the tracks of the Wheeling and Bellaire Electric railway. A car run by Motorman McConaughy came upon them at full speed, hurling it off the bridge, with all its occupants. There was a fall of twenty feet. Two of the four horses were killed and eight of the passengers seriously wounded. Emmett Pickett, the driver of the wagon, is expected to die.

Teachers' Salaries Reduced.

HAMBURG, Pa., Aug. 6.—In a number of townships the school directors have reduced the salaries of teachers and in several instances reduced the term. As the legislature granted an increased appropriation some of the patrons protest against the action of the school directors. Attorneys were consulted, but they stated that there is nothing in the act relative to school appropriations to prohibit directors from reducing salaries or school terms.

Fighting a Church Bequest.

WOMELSDORF, Pa., Aug. 6.—An attempt is being made to annul the will of Daniel Sahl, who bequeathed $15,000 to the Zion church, of this place. He died ten years ago, leaving the property to his widow, who died a year ago. John F. Filbert and his brother William, nephews of Sahl, claim that the contingencies of the will are so remote that the church bequest fails, and they, as the legal heirs, claim the estate.

Killed by Drinking Lemonade.

DAYTON, O., Aug. 6.—Too much lemonade is supposed to have caused the sudden death of Ward Eberly, who weighs 500 pounds. He was but 17 years old, and weighed only ten pounds when born, but was considered to be the heaviest youngster in the world. The doctors consider his illness due to the excessive drinking of lemonade.

Demanding Unconditional Surrender.

OMAHA, Aug. 6.—The South Omaha strikers have so far receded from their position as to be ready to arbitrate their differences. It is learned that there will be a positive refusal to meet the arbitration committee, and to refuse any terms except a complete surrender and a return of the men at the old scale.

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RIOTING IN INDIANA

Radical Action Taken by Citizens to Stamp Out Lawlessness.

BRAZIL, Ind., Aug. 6.—David Wilson and Henry Wright, residents of Attica, were attacked yesterday by a crowd of men on the Jackson street crossing of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois railroad and terribly stamped and beaten. Wilson will die and Wright is seriously injured, being covered with bruises, his jaw broken and an ugly cut above the left temple. Wilson's principal wounds were internal. Trainmaster Fowler, of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois, said that they had come to this city to work on his road, and this led to the belief that the men were assaulted by strikers. Most of the strikers say they were acquainted with the men, and that they did not come to work on the railroad, and that they were assaulted by a crowd of toughs. Wright admits that he was robbed of considerable money.

A man who arrived here yesterday to take a position on the Chicago and Eastern Illinois was attacked by men alleged to be strikers, and was only saved from being killed by drawing a revolver, holding the crowd at bay until a policeman arrived and escorted him to the roundhouse.

These acts of violence created so much indignation among the citizens that United States Marshal Hawkins was telegraphed for. He arrived in the afternoon, accompanied by his chief assistant, Mr. Foley. Mr. Hawkins, by request of the citizens, made five of the most prominent business men in the city deputy marshals, and invested them with power to select as many assistants as desired. A finance committee was selected to raise $2,500, which was subscribed by those present, to carry on the prosecution of the lawbreakers and employ detectives to hunt them down.

Mayor McCullough issued orders today to the police force to arrest every man and woman who calls another a "scab." More excitement prevails here now than at any time since the killing of Engineer Barr during the miners' strike.

Incendiarism in an Ohio Village.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 6.—Oak Harbor, a village of 2,000 inhabitants, about twenty-five miles east of this place, is in a state of terror. Within the past twenty hours three incendiary fires have been kindled, the first entailing a loss of about $35,000. It originated in the stave yard of H. H. Milander, spreading from that point until it had burned over a patch of about twelve acres. Soon afterward fire was discovered in the shaving box of Rose's stave factory, but it was extinguished with a slight loss. Three hours later a straw stack on the property of Christ Vogel was lighted, burning his barn and other small buildings, causing a loss of about $1,000.

Our Vigilant the Winner.

COWES, Isle of Wight, Aug. 6.—Before the finest fleet of yachts that Great Britain ever mustered, and before fully 100,000 people, the leading people of the kingdom, the Yankee yacht Vigilant administered a decisive defeat to the Britannia, the cutter of the Prince of Wales, Saturday, sailing the fifty miles of the course in splendid style in less than four hours, winning, after granting the Britannia a time allowance of two minutes and four seconds, by four minutes and forty-six seconds. The contest was the match race arranged by Mr George Gould and the Prince of Wales some weeks ago for a $500 cup.

Serious Condition at Bluefields.

COLON, Aug. 6.—According to advices received here affairs in Bluefields have taken a serious turn. A British officer cables to the admiralty in London that the entrance to the port of Bluefields had been seized by 300 troops under command of the president of Nicaragua. Marines from the American and British warships have been landed for the purpose of protecting the interests of the United States and Great Britain.

Striking Miners Burn a Tipple.

EDENSBURG, Pa., Aug 6.—The striking miners of Barnesboro, a coal town about fifteen miles north of this place, became violent Saturday and burned the coal tipple and several other building at the Cambria Coal company's mines. The cause of this riot is due to the low wages paid to miners in that district. They were receiving thirty cents per ton, and refused to work any longer for those wages.

Girl Barn Burner Is Insane.

SALEM, N. J., Aug. 6.—Sixteen-year-old Sallie Eagen, who was arrested on Wednesday for the repeated firing of Joseph Kerlin's barns, in Alloway township, made a full confession of the affair to Mayor Acton. The girl claimed that she had no motive in setting fire to the buildings. She has been declared insane, and was sent to Philadelphia for proper medical treatment.

La Grippe.

During the prevalence of the Grippe in past seasons it was a noticeable fact that those who depended upon Dr. King's New Discovery, not only had a speedy recovery, but escaped all of the troublesome after effects of the malady. This remedy seems to have a peculiar power in effecting rapid cures not only in cases of La Grippe, but in all Diseases of Throat, Chest and Lungs, and has cured cases of Asthma and Hay Fever of long standing. Try it and be convinced. It won't disappoint. Free Trial Bottles at McMonagle & Rogers's drug store.

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KILLED BY A PLAYMATE

Tragic End of a Sunday Fishing Excursion Near Bordentown.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., Aug. 6.—Lewis Rogers, the 14-year-old son of Walter Rogers, died yesterday from injuries said to have been inflicted by Frank Cann, his 19-year old playmate, and a stepson of Jerome Miller. The two boys, in company with Clifford Rogers, Frank Rogers, William Johnson, Charles Swaim and George Walters, friends of about their own age, went on a fishing excursion. Lewis Rogers had a slingshot with him, and threw a stone from it which struck Cann's hat and knocked it off.

Cann resented the liberty and struck Rogers, who walked a short distance and then fell forward to the ground while in the act of picking up a stone. His companions found him insensible and gasping for breath, and after carrying him to a near by tree tried every means in their power to restore him to consciousness. Finding their efforts of no avail, young Cann hurried to the house of Thomas Beatty, which was near by, and gave the alarm. The affair occurred about a mile and a quarter from here, and Beatty hastened to town and brought Dr Gilbert to Rogers' assistance. On the doctor's arrival, however Rogers was dead. Cann says he did not intend to injure his playmate, but immediately after Rogers' death gave himself up to the authorities and is now a prisoner.

Valuable Paintings Destroyed.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—A nude model was posing for Joseph N. Greason last night in the Van Dyke studios at 339 to 345 Eighth avenue. Suddenly the model made a wild clutch for his garments and ran down stairs shouting, "Fire!" Before the firemen arrived the upper part of the building was in flames. The building has three lower floors occupied by Andrew Lester's Sons, furniture and carpets. The upper floors are given over to a score of artists. The entire upper floor was gutted. Nearly all the artists having studios in the building are in Europe. There were twenty-six studios in the top floor and twenty in the fifth floor, in many of which were valuable paintings, some of them already sold. They were all destroyed.

Tied to a Stake and Beaten.

CONNELLSVILLE Pa., Aug. 6.—A strange showing of transplanted customs of the Slav element in this region was made near Leith. The victim was a young woman who had violated the moral code that is supposed to govern these people. A party of Slavs took her from her friends, stripped her of clothing, lashed her to a stake and whipped her savagely for over an hour. She was reviled, tormented and spat upon by anybody who cared to. A young man offered to release some of the cords and was beaten off by the mob. When the girl was taken down, after six hours of torment, she could scarcely move.

Scranton's Postoffice Robbed.

SCRANTON, Pa., Aug 6.—The vault in the Scranton postoffice was robbed last Thursday night, $5,800 in stamps being taken. How the robbers effected an entrance is a mystery. Postmaster Vanding offers a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the thieves and the recovery of the stamps. The affair has caused a profound sensation here, and skilled detectives have already been put at work upon the case. The postmaster is greatly worried over the robbery. He has said that he suspects no one in the office.

Beaten and Robbed by Highwaymen.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Aug. 6.—William Z. Smith, traveling salesman for a spice firm of this city, was attacked by four highwaymen while returning to his home here from a business trip to Bordentown. He was badly beaten about the face and head, and after being relieved of a large sum of money and other valuables was left on the roadside in a dying condition. He finally recovered consciousness and reached his home.

Banker Baring Arrives in New York.

NEW YORK, Aug 6.—Mr. Thomas Baring, of the banking firm of Baring Bros., accompanied by the Hon Cecil Baring, arrived yesterday on the Cunard liner Aurania. Mr Baring had been summoned hastily from England to attend the meeting of the Atchison reorganization committee on Tuesday. He represents the English capitalists, who have an interest of many millions in the road.

Floods in South Carolina.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 6.—Specials from various sections of the state report an unusually heavy downpour of rain. At Sumpter twelve to fifteen inches is reported in forty-eight hours. No church services were held yesterday, and no trains on the Charleston, Sumter and Northern railroad were run there. Streams are out of their banks, bridges have been washed away and crops seriously injured.

A Binghamton Baby.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1893.

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The usual treatment of catarrh is very unsatisfactory, as thousands can testify. Proper local treatment is positively necessary to success, but many, if not most, of the remedies in general use afford but temporary relief. A cure certainly cannot be expected from snuffs, powders, douches and washes. Ely's Cream Balm, which is so highly commended, is a remedy which combines the important requisites of quick action, specific curative power, with perfect safety and pleasantness to the patient. The druggists all sell it.

A SUNDAY CONFERENCE

Tariff Conferrees Anxious to Reach an Agreement.

WILL REPORT BY WEDNESDAY.

It Is Not Definitely Settled as Yet, However, Whether They Will Report an Agreement or Disagreement—May Extend the Sugar Bounty Period.

WASHINGTON, Aug 6.—The usual Sunday quiet of the Capitol buildling was broken yesterday by the assembling of the Democratic tariff conferrees at 2:30 o'clock in the senate committee room on interstate commerce. All of the Democratic conferrees were present except Senator Voorhees, who is still sick, and Chairman Wilson, who has gone to West Virginia to see his sick wife. The meeting lasted until 6 o'clock, and was marked with even more than the usual secrecy, some of the conferrees declining to admit that they were together. Others were more communicative, explaining that the gathering was due to the desire to expedite a settlement at the earliest moment possible. The meeting resulted in an understanding that a report should be made one way or the other—agreement or disagreement—within the next seventy-two hours. That it would be an agreement was not, however, definitely settled. On this point the conferrees say they have not yet passed the danger point, although they seemed more confident that it would be an agreement.

The discussion again turned on sugar, iron ore and coal. The fact that these items are receiving attention is taken to indicate that the new sugar schedule has been thoroughly canvassed, and that it will be the basis of an agreement unless some new obstacle intervenes. The house conferrees are proceeding without reference to the strong opposition to the new sugar schedule by the Louisiana senators. This opposition may be overcome, however, by permitting the present bounty or a portion of it to run until Jan. 1 next.

The Louisiana opposition has been due mainly to the fact that provision has been made for bounty in the senate bill, and it has been urged that it was bad faith to cut off the bounty when the present sugar crop was put in on the basis of a bounty. By postponing the time at which the bounty provisions of the McKinley law shall be repealed until Jan. 1 would operate on the crop about to be gathered. This, like other details of the proposition, are not yet agreed on, but it was mentioned by one of the conferrees as a fair concession to the Louisiana men, and one likely to overcome their opposition.

The Louisiana senators have said that they would be willing to accept half of the bounty for the present year in addition to the duty in the new compromise schedule.

Some attention has also been given to the income tax, and while a final agreement has not been reached it is practically conceded that the senate limit of five years will be adopted. The house conferrees feel that if the tax is in operation for five years it will so recommend itself that an extension of the system will be enacted at a subsequent congress. Efforts are being made, however, to extend the limit to six or eight years.

With the tariff disposed of the senate could probably adjourn in three or four days' time. The last of the general appropriation bills has passed both houses, and a majority of them have been signed by the president. Some of these bills are in conference still, but if an agreement upon them would bring an adjournment it would not long be delayed, as there are no irreconcilable differences between the two houses on appropriations. There is no measure other than the tariff bill and the appropriations bill which would be strong enough to hold the senate together, even for a day. The probabilities for the week include a report from the tariff conference committee and subsequent debate, and also the presentation of the conference reports on the sundry civil, river and harbor, Ind an and general deficiency bills and the consideration of the calendar when these more important matters do not occupy a position to receive attention. The immigration bill will come up this afternoon, and in lieu of the tariff may excite considerable debate. The Republican senators are inclined to press the question of a further limitation of immigration, but so far the Democrats in the senate have not shown a disposition to accept the challenge, and they may choose to permit the Republicans to monopolize the discussion of the subject.

The house will proceed this week as it did last. The house is simply awaiting the final report on the tariff bill. All its routine business has been transacted, and it is simply waiting. Today, however, is being devoted to the Settle-Williams contested election case from North Carolina. The remaining days will be assigned to the routine business of the committees subject always to conference reports. If the conferrees on the tariff reach an agreement this week the report will first be considered in the senate, and after being disposed of there it will come to the house. If the report is not made before Wednesday there is no probability that it will get to the house this week. When it does reach that body it is not the intention of the house managers to allow any protracted debate.

Representative Settle is the only Republican remaining in the house whose seat has been contested by a Democrat. Much interest is centered upon the case because the committee on elections, which of course, has a Democratic majority, after hearing the testimony in the case, reported in favor of Mr. Settle, denying the claims of the Democratic contestant, Mr. Williams. The majority report was signed by ten members, the six Republican committeemen and four Democrats, one of them the chairman of the committee. Afterward a minority report for unseating Mr. Settle was signed by five Democratic members. Mr. Woodward, of North Carolina, called this up today, introducing a resolution to unseat Mr. Settle, and the question will be under their rules, a privileged one, as it concerns the title of a member to his seat. The case is an interesting one, as Democratic members are taking a leading part in Mr. Settle's behalf.

Robbed a Burlington Market.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Aug. 6.—The meat market of Elijah Anderson, on Broad street, was entered by thieves at an early hour in the morning. The robbers broke open the safe and secured a quantity of cash. They also carried off a lot of meat and poultry. Police chased the thieves to the outskirts of the town, where they dropped their booty and escaped.

Stock Yards Employes Weaken.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—The striking employes of the Stock Yards company decided last night at their meeting to return to work and to report individually. It was also decided to assess those who go back for the benefit of those who cannot get back until the latter can secure employment.

Levy Gets a New Trial.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Ex-Ward Detective Jeremiah S. Levy, who has been on trial in general sessions for the past three days on a charge of having accepted a bribe from Charles Krumm, a Christie street concert hall keeper, will have another trial. The jury in his case disagreed.

Killed on the Ball Field.

GLOVERSVILLE, N. Y., Aug. 6.—Frank Vedder, of Brooklyn, while playing ball with the Broadalbin club in a match game with the Northampton club at Fish House yesterday, was struck by a ball on the right temple with such force that he was killed almost instantly.

Derailed by a Cow.

HAMILTON, O., Aug 6.—A Pan Handle freight was wrecked yesterday at Crestonville, near here, by running over a cow. Fireman M. Neil and Engineer Eagan were slightly injured. Both belong here. Fifteen cars and the engine were derailed.

Colorado Miners Resume Work.

DENVER, Colo., Aug. 6.—The numerous coal mines in southern Colorado and New Mexico were reopened this morning, giving employment to thousands of men. The strikers voted in favor of returning to work at the old wages.

Death of Michigan's War Governor.

JACKSON, Mich., Aug 6.—Hon. Austin Blair, the war governor of Michigan, died shortly after 1 o'clock this morning, aged 76. After serving as governor he was elected to congress in 1866, and was twice re-elected.

Killed His Wife, Then Tried Suicide.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—After a night spent in brooding over fancied wrongs, Joseph B. Hunt, 40 years old, a paperhanger, shot and killed his wife Barbara, aged 37, in the front room of their apartments on the second floor of 1490 Second avenue. Hunt then turned the revolver on himself and sent a bullet into his own head. The woman was killed instantly. The man is in a critical condition.

Took the Law in Their Hands.

ELKTON, Md., Aug. 6.—William Cornish, 60 years of age, was alleged to have acted indecently before Mabel Anderson, aged 4 years. The father of the girl sought to prosecute Cornish, but was told that a case could hardly be made out against him. The citizens formed a committee, marched to Cornish's house, dragged him out and thrashed him to within an inch of his life.

Death of a Well Known Soubrette.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Patti Rosa, a well known soubrette, died at St. Francis' hospital from the effects of an operation performed for appendicitis. She was the wife of John W. Dunne. Patti Rosa had intended to leave for Newport last week to spend several weeks before entering upon an extensive tour which had been mapped out for her.

Frost in Nebraska.

OMAHA, Aug 6.—Reports indicate the presence of frost in several Nebraska counties. The localities were mainly those in which the drought was so severe, and little vegetation was left to be damaged. Dodge county suffered chiefly.

Murdered by a Determined Boy.

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., Aug 6.—Jim Tolliver, a full grown man, was imposing on a 15-year-old boy, when the latter pulled a knife and cut Tolliver to death. The lad surrendered and was placed in the city jail.

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CATHOLIC SOCIETIES.

Bishop Watterson Discusses His Famous Pastoral Letter.

TEMPERANCE A PREREQUISITE.

The Necessity for Abridging the Power of Liquor Sellers in Church Societies—The Bishop Relates an Incident That Led to His Radical Attitude.

COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 6.—An agent of the Associated Press saw Bishop Watterson, who gave some interesting inside history of his recent enactments and the causes which led to them. A week before Thanksgiving Day last year a member of one of the Columbus societies belonging to the Knights of St. John's union told the bishop that the military branch of the division, to which the informant belonged, had during the preceding year given three entertainments, two of them under the assumed name of the Evening Star club, at which beer was sold and other things done contrary to the statutes of this diocese and the provincial council of Cincinnati and the third plenary council of Baltimore, and that this same branch intended to give under the disguise of a prize drill a similar entertainment the night before Thanksgiving Day, with beer selling and beer drinking and promiscuous dancing.

The bishop went immediately to the hall where the society was then holding a preparatory meeting, and told the members what he had heard, all of which they acknowledged to be true. After reproving them he received a promise from them not to hold their thanksgiving entertainment in the intended manner; but within a couple of days thereafter two delegates from this commandery waited on him, and as about $50 of expenses had been incurred in preparing for the entertainment they solemnly proposed to him to allow them to hold their prize drill, which would occupy about fifteen minutes, and then turn over the affair to others, who should conduct it according to the prearranged program, the society itself to be the beneficiary of the proceeds.

He expressed his astonishment at such a proposition coming from men who called themselves Catholic Knights, and told them he could not connive at such a "beating of the devil round the stump." The bishop offered to contribute generously to their expenses if they would do right. They, however, held the entertainment as they had originally arranged, and many of the members of the general division and of other societies assisted at it. The bishop then sent word that he would no longer recognize them as a Catholic organization.

In December an election was held for president of the general division, and also for captain of the military branch. Saloon keepers, regardless of the bishop's well known wishes, were chosen for both of these offices. Thereupon he informed the officers of the division that if they should install the newly elected president he would deprive their whole division of its rank and privilege as a Catholic society, as he had already done in the case of the military branch, and that they must either respect his injunctions or appeal to higher authority.

They reported this decision to their society, which thereupon resolved to consult the supreme president of their union, whose residence is in Cleveland. The supreme president gave the society some good advice, telling them it was not politic to get into a contest with episcopal authority, and counseling the newly elected president to resign and thus save a disagreeable complication.

Some years ago, wishing to promote the honor and usefulness of societies in his diocese, Bishop Watterson decided not to approve of new societies or new branches of old societies, save on condition that manufacturers and venders of intoxicating liquors would not be admitted to membership. He saw how men in the business of intoxicating liquors have tried to dominate these societies, and in too many cases succeeded in using their membership for their own selfish ends and often to the injury of other members and their families, and the dishonor of the societies themselves and religion.

He knew the common disregard of state and municipal and ecclesiastical laws by men in this traffic. He believed that more could be done to diminish the evils of intemperance if the societies which enjoyed special privileges as Catholic societies would be made to conduce in some way to this end. He knew that by their very name of Catholic they were bound to conduce to the increase of religion, and not to its injury. Therefore, he resolved to make general what, up to this time, had only applied to new organizations, and in the beginning of March he issued his now famous pastoral letter on total abstinence and Catholic societies in relation to the manufacturers and venders of intoxicants.

Bishop Watterson's attitude on these matters has been sustained by Mgr. Satolli, and must, therefore, stand as the law of the church.

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A SMALL KINDNESS.

The Gentle Little Woman Who Gave It Received a Big Reward.

Many years ago, when sewing machines were in their infancy, if indeed they had been invented, a little elderly bachelor entered the parlor of his boarding house and in a way peculiar to himself made this request:

"Which of you ladies will hem a couple of handkerchiefs for me?"

There was a well bred sniff of disapproval, but not one assenting voice. The only one that broke the silence recommended him to take the handkerchiefs to a seamstress who attended to such work.

"It's pretty lonesome to have no women folk belonging to you," said the old bachelor, "but I guess I can get along. Thank you, ladies, for your kindness," and he bowed himself out.

At the same moment a timid hand detained him, and a low voice said in his ear:

"Leave them with me. I—I will see that they are hemmed neatly. I have a friend who will do them—for company."

"Take them," said the old bachelor gruffly; "much obliged, I'm sure."

She was a gentlewoman, although she sewed for a living, as all women did in that day who did not teach school.

She replied not to jeers of her companions when she sat in the parlor at her work, except to say that it was a small thing to do for a fellow being.

"But he is a miser," they persisted. Nevertheless the handkerchiefs were hemmed and returned to the owner, who did not offer to pay for them, but did within the year marry the gentle soul who hemmed them.

The thereafter of their married life reads like a fairy story. Both have passed away from the prosperity which surrounded them, but in the heart of the city of Boston there is a marble block that was built with the accumulated interest of the fortune bequeathed to their son, who is no other than Montgomery Sears, the millionaire. This story, unlike most stories, is true.—Detroit Free Press.

LORD RUSSELL'S BASHFULNESS.

The Great English Barrister Was Quite Diffident In His Youth.

In his "Journalist's Notebook" Mr. Frankfort Moore tells a story of the early life of Lord Russell. It may, he says, surprise some of those persons who have been unfortunate enough to find themselves witnesses for the prosecution in cases where Lord Russell has appeared for the defense to learn that in his young days he was exceedingly shy. He has lost a good deal of his early diffidence, or, at any rate, he manages to prevent it betraying itself in such a way as might tend to embarrass a hostile witness. As a rule, witnesses do not find that bashfulness is the most prominent characteristic of his cross examination.

But I learn from an associate of Lord Russell's that when his name appeared on the list to propose or to respond to a toast at one of the dinners of a patriotic society of which my informant as well as Lord Russell was a member he would spend the day nervously walking about the streets and apparently quite unable to collect his thoughts. Upon one occasion the proud duty devolved upon him of responding to the toast, "Ireland a Nation." Late in the afternoon my informant found him in a condition of disorderly perturbation and declaring that he had no idea of what he should say, and he felt certain that, unless he got the help of the man who afterward became my informant, he must inevitably break down.

"I laughed at him," said the gentleman who had the courage to tell the story which I have the courage to repeat, "and did my best to give him confidence. 'Sure, any fool could respond to Ireland a nation, and you'll do as well as any other.' But even this didn't give courage," continued my informant, "and I had to sit down and give him the chief points to touch on in his speech. He wrung my hand, and in the evening he made a fine speech, sir. Man, but it was a pity that there weren't more of the party sober enough to appreciate it!"

The Coming Railroad Engine.

"The railroad engine of the future will be a very different machine from those now in use," said T. C. Willoughby. "In the first place, it will be so arranged that it will run in a vacuum by means of air pumps. It will be of torpedo shape, in order to offer the least possible air resistance, and the air which goes into the pumps will be utilized as an additional motive power to that obtained from the steam or electricity used. Such an engine could be constructed to make at least 200 miles an hour and would wear longer than any now used, for the reason that friction would be reduced to a minimum. A combination of the principles of the present locomotive and of the Pennoyer airship would result in a revolution in the mechanical world. I am not an inventor, but I know that such a machine is feasible and will some day be perfected."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

A Big Concern.

A commercial traveler was bragging about the magnitude of the firm he represented.

"I suppose your house is a pretty big establishment?" said the customer.

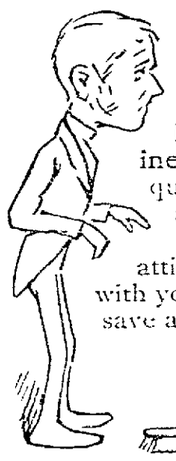
"Big? You can't have any idea of its dimensions. Last week we took an inventory of the employees and found out for the first time that three cashiers and four bookkeepers were missing. That will give you some idea of the magnitude of our business."—Manchester Guardian.

English Smarts.

First Swell (pretending to mistake for an usher a rival whom he sees standing in dress clothes at the coatroom of the theater)—Ah! Have you a programme?

Second Swell (up to snuff)—Thanks, my man. I got one from the other fellow.—London Answers.

No Wonder He Dreads It,



if his house is cleaned in the old-fashioned, tearing-up way. Why can't a man's wife use Pearline for cleaning house, and let him keep comfortable? That's all she needs—Pearline and water—to make it an easy thing (and a quick one.) both for herself and for everybody around her.

Everything in the house, from cellar to attic, can be cleaned best with Pearline. Besides, with your paint and wood-work and such things, you'll save a lot of wear that comes from useless scrubbing.

Send it Back Peddlers and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as" or "the same as Pearline." IT'S FALSE —Pearline is never peddled, and if your grocer sends you something in place of Pearline, be honest—*send it back*. 410 JAMES PYLE, N. Y.

"America's Greatest Men and Women."

AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN AND WOMEN.

MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified by the natural ability he may possess,

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways; here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy ank secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women, which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man—I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman—for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history The wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch—God bless the old fellow—and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

HERE ARE the TERMS.

IN EVERY ISSUE OF THE ARGUS AND MERCURY will appear a numbered coupon. Cut this coupon out and bring or forward it, together with TEN CENTS, to the Coupon Department of the ARGUS and MERCURY and there will be delivered or mailed to you one number of the series as above. The remaining parts can be obtained as issued, one each week, by the readers of the ARGUS and MERCURY under the same conditions.

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(PARTS 15 AND 16 NOW READY.)

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

By order Board of Directors,

SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier.

MISTAKES ON THE WIRE.

Ludicrous Errors Made by Telegraph Operators In Transmitting Dispatches.

The funny mistakes of telegraphers are as numerous as those charged up to proofreaders. A gentleman who has been an extensive traveler, and consequently not supposed to overlook any details, saw his wife off on a train for the slope the other day. It was supposed that everything had been arranged. The good-by and its accompaniment had been passed, and the gentleman returned to his home. That night his wife suddenly remembered that she had left a valuable adjunct to her happiness and wrote a message to her husband which he received the following morning at his office. It read:

"Forgot. Think conductor has telegraphed for it."

He read it again, and it read as at first. "Forgot what," he murmured. And he read it again and kept reading it until the words ran together and his temples throbbed. He sent a message to his house asking the servants if Mrs. —— had left anything. They made no discoveries, of course. Then he sent a message to the operator at the office from which his wife's message was sent asking him to repeat it. He waited for an answer. He lost his luncheon and his dinner waiting. He remained at his office until late at night, and as he was about to leave in despair he received an answer to his. It read: "Forgot trunk. Conductor has telegraphed for it."

Sure enough, the word "trunk" had been made to read "think." But wasn't it strange that a man who had traveled all over the world should come to his own home to forget to check his wife's trunk? He laughed to himself after it was all over. But it had cost him lots of worry.

Equally funny is this one:

A lady in this city had received a letter from her old home in Connecticut which caused her a good deal of trouble. Her answer to it was by wire. When it was delivered in the Connecticut home, it read:

"How's the weather?"

What an exasperating query at such a time! The letter referred to the lady's mother's health. The dispatch should have read, "How's mother?"

A little different is this one: A gentleman of this city sent his wife a message from Washington March 4, 1893, prepaid, and it has not been delivered up to the present writing. The correspondence between the Chicago office and the Washington and New York offices about the transaction has accumulated until the batch looks like the papers in a long continued lawsuit.—Chicago Herald.

Second Wind.

The following is an explanation of the athlete's "second wind," from Outing: When we are walking about, we only use our lungs partially, sometimes only one, but when we commence to hurry or run we draw our breath faster, causing both lungs to gradually develop. During the time that this process is going on we get our second wind. Now, should a man not use his lungs in running for a length of time they will get, so to speak, rusty, and it will be with great difficulty that he will get his breath properly. If an athlete is properly trained, he will not feel the least difference from start to finish in a long race. Directly he commences to run both lungs will open to the full.

Experience in long distance running proves the above correct. I have noticed after each cessation of a few weeks that my lungs were not so free; consequently I underwent the process of getting my "second wind," and as I practiced and got in better trim my lungs opened better, and breathing became easier with each run. "Second wind" is the full use of both lungs.

An Absentminded Builder.

"As an amateur carpenter, I don't think I am much of a success," said a gentleman yesterday. "For several months past I have been engaged in building a dollhouse for one of my children. I chose a room in the stable in which to do my work, for, with the gaslight, I was able to spend my spare evenings in hammering and planing. Well, I completed my task the other evening and was proud to behold a dollhouse the like of which I had never seen. It was a perfect miniature house. Yesterday I told the driver to get a man to help him carry my handiwork from the stable to the children's playroom. Imagine my feelings when he came back and informed me that the dollhouse was too large to pass through the door of the room in which I had built it. I had never thought of getting the house out, but my oversight so disgusted me with my work that I hired a carpenter to break it up so that it could be taken out in pieces."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Ethan Allen's Sword.

The sword of Ethan Allen, preserved in the National museum, at Washington, is an old fashioned blade about 27 inches in length and slightly curved. The handle is made of horn or bone and is some 7 inches long. The mounting is of silver, marked with gold, but the latter is partially worn off. A dog's head of silver forms the end of the handle, and from this to the guard runs a silver chain. On one of the silver bands of the venerable leathern scabbard is the name "Ethan Allen" engrossed in large letters; on another band, "E. Brasher, Maker, N. York," while on a third band appears the name "Martin Vosburg, 1775."—Philadelphia Ledger.

"There's one thing about me that I don't understand," said Tommy thoughtfully, "and that's why it is that making marks on wall paper is such lots of fun and making 'em in copy-books in school is such hard work."

The use of Australia as a convict ground was objected to by the population as soon as the country was occupied by actual colonists, and the transportation system was given up in 1857.

WOMEN IN SOCIETY

—often need the strengthening support of a general tonic and nervine.

Are you weak, nervous, or ailing? Then Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription brings you *special* help. For delicate women, for all the derangements, disorders, and diseases of the sex, it lessens pain and relieves sleeplessness, backache and bearing-down sensations. The success of "Favorite Prescription" in curing all the functional derangements, painful disorders, and chronic weaknesses of women, warrant its makers in *guaranteeing* it. Your money is returned if no benefit is received.

MISS HENDERSON.

MISS LIBBIE M. HENDERSON, of *Springfield, S. Dakota*, writes: "I cannot say enough for your Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. For years I suffered from irregularity and uterine Debility, but now I feel as well as I ever did in my life. Thanks to you for your 'Favorite Prescription.'"

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LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES

For the information of our readers we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning June 17th, '94 and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. F. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

No.	JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
12, Chicago Express	4:00 a. m.	
10, Buffalo Express	6:01 "	
26, Middletown Way, T	6:34 "	6:36 a. m
16, Orange Co. G. W	7:10 "	7:12 "
28, Mountain Express	5:23 "	5:25 "
32, Del Valley Ex., G. M. P.	10:31 "	
6, Way Mail, G (ex Sunday)	12:59 p. m.	
2, Chicago Express	2:54 "	
30, Way, M P G. T	4:43 "	4:45 p. m
8 Chicago Limited	7:12 "	
18, Milk	7:23 "	
14, Wells-Fargo Express	10:40 "	
6, Pt Jervis Local (Sun only)	8:23 a. m	8:25 a. m
20, Port Jervis Local	6:15 p. m	
128, M. & C. Branch, arrive		8:13 a. m
130, M. & C. Branch, arrive		5:55 p. m

WEST BOUND.

No.	JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
17, Milk	7:47 a. m	
21, Port Jervis Way	10:33 "	10:35 a. m
1, Day Express	11:25 "	
11, Port Jervis Local	1:04 p. m	1:01 p. m
33, Port Jervis Local	3:40 "	3:37 "
25, Chicago Limited	5:02 "	
27, Mountain Express	5:40 "	5:36 "
15, Orange County	6:50 "	6:40 "
25, Middletown Way, arrives	8:00 "	7:58 "
7, O. & G. T. Express	8:37 "	
29, Emigrant	9:40 "	
3, Chicago Express	11:12 "	
601, Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10:43 a. m	10:40 a. m
625, " " "	3:19 p. m	3:16 p. m
617, " " "	9:42 "	
101, M. & C. Branch train	11:35 a. m	11:40 a. m
5115, " " "		6:55 p. m

Trains marked with a § run daily. Trains Nos. 601, 6-6, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. †Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof; due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters affixed, indicate connections, viz: "G." with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T." with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M." with Montgomery Branch; "P." with Pine Island Branch

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at §4:15, §7:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, §5:30, §6:30, 7:00, 8:45 p. m. Sundays only 12:30 p. m.

N. Y. O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

Milk	6:45 a. m
Day Express	10:55 "
Mountain Express	12:10 p. m
Saturday only	5:00 "
Sullivan County Express	6:00 "
Ulster County Express	7:30 "
Pacific Express	10:20 "

SOUTH BOUND.

Atlantic Express	6:30 a. m
Norwich Express	7:00 "
No. 8	8:05 "
Mountain Express	4:05 p. m
Day Express	4:30 "
No. 12	6:35 "
Sunday Special	6:50 "

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H.H.—Urinary and Kidney Diseases.
I.I.—Eruptive Diseases, Mange.
J.K.—Diseases of Digestion, Paralysis.

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Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50 cent bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

THIS SPACE

BELONGS TO

Casino Theatre Co

Where the Casino Chart Can Be Found

The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at Tuthill's pharmacy 27 James street. dt

THE G A R ENCAMPMENT.

Elaborate Preparations in Pittsburg for the Veterans' Reception.

PITTSBURG, Aug. 6.—The more than 1,300 committeemen composing the citizens' executive board of Pittsburg are hustling for all they are worth to make the twenty eighth national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, to be held Sept 10-15 next, a big success. The indications are for a tremendous turnout of veterans. More than 25,000 of them have been assigned to free quarters, to say nothing of 5,000 to 10,000 who have reserved paid quarters and the 5,000 resident Grand Army men who will not need to secure accommodations. This means that there will be over 50,000 of the "boys in blue" in Pittsburg during encampment week.

There will be three grand parades—the naval veterans on the 10th, the Grand Army proper on the 11th and the Union ex-prisoners of war on the 12th. Pittsburg will be more lavishly decorated than ever in its history. There will be about 125 reunions of army associations and about ten conventions of national organizations of various kinds. On the evening of Sept. 11 there will be six grand camp fires, presided over by soldiers of renown. It is confidently hoped that ex-President Harrison and Governor McKinley will attend. Governor Pattison and his staff will be guests of honor also.

There will be a number of triumphal arches, and preparations have been made for such a display of electrical and natural gas illuminations and fireworks as has never before been seen in western Pennsylvania. In addition to the hotels in Pittsburg the citizens have thrown open their homes to make welcome every one of the 300,000 strangers expected.

Jackson's Party Off for the Pole.

ARCHANGEL, Russia, Aug. 6.—The steamer Windward, having on board the Jackson North Pole expedition, sailed from here yesterday afternoon for Harbourova or Jagurski Schar as circumstances shall determine. The expedition procured here additional stores, furs and a number of Russian ponies. At Harbourova or Jagurski Schar a few Samoyeds will be added to the crew of the Windward, and the steamer will then proceed direct to the southern shore of Franz Josef Land. All the members of the party are in good health and spirits. The departure of the expedition was made the scene of a remarkable display of enthusiasm. The city was everywhere decorated with flags.

Fire at a Sunday Ball Game.

CHICAGO, Aug. 6.—At the beginning of the seventh inning of yesterday's baseball game with the Cincinnati club fire was discovered under the seats in the north stand and the game was called. Inside of three minutes the entire stand, together with the bleachers and a portion of the elegant grand stand, was a mass of flames, which was not controlled until two-thirds of the grand stand had been destroyed. In the wild scramble several arms were broken and a score of people were slightly burned and cut by barb wire fencing. The fire is supposed to have been started by a boy lighting a cigarette.

An Independent Catholic Church.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6.—Polish Catholics of this city held a largely attended meeting yesterday for the purpose of organizing an independent church, which they intend shall not be under the control of any secular prelate. The delegates sent by dissentors from Holy Rosary church, who formed the meeting to investigate the independent churches at Cleveland and Detroit, reported that they were working successfully. Plans of organization were adopted.

Killed While on an Errand of Love.

CAPE MAY, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Emma Magrath, wife of Editor Christopher S. Magrath, of the Camden (N. J.) Democrat, a prominent state Grand Army man, was struck by a train Saturday evening about a mile above this city, and instantly killed. She had been to Cold Spring on a visit to the grave of her daughter, and was on her way back to this city when she was run down by the train.

Stabbed by Striking Slavs.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., Aug. 6.—Samuel D. Matthews, a miner employed at Leisenring shaft, No. 1, of the Frick company, was severely injured by a mob of striking coke miners, who waylaid him on the road home from the mine. When he defended himself one of his assailants drew a knife and stabbed Matthews in the breast and shoulder. He is expected to recover.

A Runaway Couple Wedded.

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Aug. 6.—Miss Lavinia L. Harris, daughter of Congressman Harris, of Kansas, was married here Saturday night, at a hotel, to Wade Bohannon, a liveryman, of Luray, Va. It was a runaway match Miss Harris had been attending a seminary at Luray, and there met Bohannon.

NUGGETS OF NEWS.

General Caceres, who was elected president of the republic of Peru on May 10 has been installed in office

While stealing a train ride, Paul Inerski and Adolph Schuanzter, of Blackinton, Mass., were cut to pieces

Because his shortage in accounts was discovered, J F. Summerwell, city clerk of Mobile, took a fatal dose of laudanum

As the result of an old grudge, S. D Barnett, of San Jacinto county, Tex. shot dead Overseer D. M. Saunders and his son.

Joe Mitchell, a young farmer of Liberty Hill, Tex., was gored to death by a vicious bull yesterday. The body was frightfully mutilated.

When discovered by her husband with her paramour Mrs. Edward Barnard, colored, of Collierville, Tenn., blew his head off with a shotgun.

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QUEEN VICTORIA'S CORONATION.

A Description of the Event as Seen by the Famous Dean Stanley.

The following concerning Dean Stanley's view of the coronation of Queen Victoria is taken from a recently published life of that remarkable man:

At 10:30 another gun announced that she was at the abbey door, and in about a quarter of an hour the procession appeared from under the organ, advancing up the purple approach to the chancel, every one leaning over, and in they came. First the great dukes, struggling with their enormous trains, then bishops, etc., and then the queen, with her vast crimson train outspread by eight ladies all in white, followed by the great ladies of her court in enormous crimson trains and the smaller ladies with delicate sky blue trains trailing along the dark floor. When she came within the full view of the gorgeous abbey she paused as if for breath and clasped her hands. The orchestra broke out into the most tremendous crash of music I ever heard. "I was glad when they said unto me, 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.'"

Every one literally gasped for breath from the intense interest, and the rails of the gallery visibly trembled in one's hands from the trembling of the spectators. I never saw anything like it. Tears would have been a relief. One felt that the queen must sink into the earth under the tremendous awe. But at last she moved on to her place by the altar, and, as I heard from my cousin who had a place close by, threw herself on her knees, buried her face in her hands and evidently prayed fervently. For the first part the silence was so great that at my extreme point I could hear quite distinctly the tremulous but articulate voice of the archbishop. Afterward it was quite inaudible. The great drawbacks were the feeble responses to the service and the feebleness of the acclamation—hardly any at all at the recognition and only tolerable at the coronation. That was the crisis of the ceremony and the most striking part. The very moment the crown touched her head the guns went off, the trumpets began and the shouts. She was perfectly immovable, like a statue. The Duchess of Kent burst into tears, and her lady had to put on her coronet for her. The anointing was very beautiful from the cloth of gold. The homage also from the magnificent cluster in the very center.

It was a take off, though a necessary one, I suppose, that throughout her face was turned away from the spectators toward the altar. All the movements were beautiful. She was always accompanied by her eight ladies floating about her like a silvery cloud. It was over at 3:30—that is, she went out then with her crown, her orb and her scepter. I walked home. The rest had to wait till 8 for their carriage, which was forced back by the length of the line to Kennington common. The crowd in the streets to see the return of the procession was stupendous. It was all more like a dream than reality—more beautiful than I could have conceived possible. I should wish almost never to see her again; that, as this was the first image I had ever had of her, so it should be the last.

AFTER DINNER ORATORS.

Most Englishmen Are Failures as Such, but Coleridge Was a Shining Exception.

Lord Coleridge had a record as the best English after dinner speaker who ever came to America. As a rule, the Englishman does not shine postprandially in comparison with the average American of the same grade in law, politics, literature, the drama or journalism. Most of them, in fact, are dire failures. Coleridge and Irving are the shining exceptions. Sergeant Ballantyne, who came with a great flourish of trumpets and was received with much cordiality by his professional brethren, was the worst that we ever had to endure. Martin Farquhar Tupper was insufferably dull. Toole, the comedian, who was considered funny on the other side, was lugubrious here. It took several seasons to break in Wilson Barrett. Lord Aberdeen is genial, but prosy.

Dickens was the best man who preceded Coleridge, but to the present generation of diners he is only a tradition and does not count. Sir Richard Webster, I fancy, would have shown himself a good second to Lord Coleridge, but his visit here was short, and very few had the pleasure of hearing him. I had that pleasure here as well as in England, and he certainly has a remarkable facility of expression, combined with a fine vocabulary, a keen sense of humor and a thorough knowledge of human nature. Coleridge, however, I repeat, took the palm and has worn it in the memory of friends whom he met here to this day.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

The Utility of a Head.

The master of one of our village schools was examining some boys on a piece of poetry which he had given them to prepare the night before. They all said it excellently except a small boy at the bottom of the class.

On being asked to say his lesson, he said, "I can't remember it, sir."

Master (in rage)—Why, what's your head for?

Boy—To keep my collar on, sir.—London Answers.

Attractive Advertising.

Customer—I see you advertise bicycles from 10 cents to $100.

Dealer—Yes, sir.

"What kind of bicycles do you sell for 10 cents?"

"Candy one."—New York Weekly.

The reading of romances is forbidden by the Koran; hence popular tales are never put in writing among Mohammedans, but are passed from one story teller to another.

Australian provincial officials keep poisoned grain in their offices for the benefit of farmers who wish to destroy small birds.

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION.

Remarkable Cases of Its Occurrence In and Effect on Human Bodies.

Medical literature of this country as well as that of England and continental Europe relates many remarkable instances of the spontaneous combustion of the human body. In all such cases, which are the more interesting on account of their comparative rarity, the victim has been a person addicted to the immoderate use of spirituous liquors, either as a beverage or in the form of a bath. Little by little all the water and other liquids of the body are replaced by alcohol, and then all that is necessary to cause a catastrophe is to find some means of applying flame to the spiritous gases which are escaping from every pore. Occasionally the breath of the poor victim is fired while lighting a pipe or a cigar, or it may be that a flame comes in contact with and lights the alcoholic vapors which are escaping from some other portion of the body. When once the fire is applied, a bluish flame extends very rapidly to all parts of the body, leaving it a shapeless mass of charred flesh and calcined bones. In many instances attempts have been made to extinguish the flames with water, but always without success. When the affected parts of the victim are touched, a fatty matter attaches itself to the finger, still continuing to burn and giving off a very disagreeable odor, something similar to that which arises from burning a mixture of horn, hair and wool.

During all this time a thick black smoke arises from the body and attaches itself to the surface of all objects with which it comes in contact, the "settlings" from it being in the form of a sweat, unctuous to the touch and of an unbearable fetor. In the majority of such cases combustion is only arrested when the flesh has been reduced to cracklings and the bone to powder. Vincent, in his "Curiosities Respecting Man," says, "Commonly the feet and portion of the head are not burned, but usually when the combustion is finished it is difficult to believe that the incinerated mass is all that is left of a human body."—St. Louis Republic.

COMMERCIAL TRAVELERS.

The English Drummer Compared With His Fellow Salesman In America.

The commercial traveler in England is little different from his American brother, pursuing the same line of policy in "getting there" so far as securing trade is concerned. His invariable rule, however, is that his first price given to a local merchant is his last and only one. There is no going in the morning with an offer and then in the afternoon with an extra inducement to make the trade. This being the invariable rule, it saves much labor and apprehension in the mind of the buyer that he has not done so well as he could have done with more diplomacy.

Everything is done for the comfort of the traveler, and at the hotels a special apartment called the commercial room is set apart for his exclusive use. In this room smoking is prohibited until 9 p. m., a place being devoted to that purpose at other times. The traveler takes his meals in the commercial room, the dinner being a set affair in which all travelers in the house generally participate. The oldest man is at the head of the table and is called the president, while at the foot is the youngest man, and he is termed vice president. Selections of food are often made by vote, and two or three will club together for special dishes or wines, the president generally putting the question.

A dinner costs in this way from 50 to 75 cents and other meals in proportion, very good food and service being had throughout Great Britain and Ireland at these prices. At these dinners and in the general conversation no introduction of one to the other, if strangers, is necessary, and all join in the general conversation and story telling, a trait common to the whole brotherhood of commercial travelers, be they found in London, New York or Kamchatka.—Hardware.

Quarter Deck and Gangway.

Quarter deck originated from the arrangement that the portion of the deck so called was about one-fourth of the whole space. Fore or forward castle received its name as being the principal part of the ship in which the fighting took place, being raised much above the level of the other part of the deck and holding a commanding position. Poop, the raised afterpart of the ship, set apart for officers, both in meaning and derivation, comes from the Latin.

Gangway has been handed down from the days of the ancient galleys of the Phœnicians, Carthagenians and Romans, it having been a board which ran along the whole length, serving as a passage for the rowers to and from their seats. It was also utilized as a resting place for the mast and sail when not in use. The term now denotes a place of exit or entrance from or to a vessel, generally from the shore, by means of a long plank or platform.—Chambers' Journal.

A Lover of Tobacco.

It is said that the camel is a lover of tobacco. Let any one smoke a pipe or cigar in the camel compound, and the camel will follow the smoker about, place his nose close to the burning tobacco, inhale the fumes, with a long sniff, swallow the smoke, then throwing his head up, with mouth agape and eyes upturned, showing the bloodshot whites, will grunt a sigh of ecstasy that would make the fortune of a low comedian in a love scene.—Bow Bells.

Italy produces 23.4 per cent of the wine of the world, Spain 23.8 per cent and France 21.9 per cent, the three nations producing 61.9 per cent of the aggregate output, amounting to 3,370,000,000 gallons.

Dwarfs live much longer than giants, the latter usually having weak constitutions and soft and brittle bones.

BASEBALL RECORDS.

Standing of the Clubs in the Race for Championship Pennants.

National League.

	W.	L.	P. C.		W.	L.	P. C.
Boston	55	29	.647	Brooklyn	43	40	.518
Baltimore	52	30	.634	Cincinnati	40	45	.470
New York	53	32	.624	Chicago	38	47	.447
Cleveland	48	35	.578	St. Louis	37	53	.411
Pittsburg	46	40	.535	Louisville	29	58	.333
Philad'a	43	38	.531	Wash'ton	25	61	.291

SATURDAY'S NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At New York—First game: New York, 16; Brooklyn, 8. Second game: New York, 9; Brooklyn, 8. At Philadelphia—Baltimore, 19; Philadelphia, 12. At Boston—Boston, 11; Washington, 5. At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 11; St. Louis, 5. At Cleveland—Cincinnati, 8; Cleveland, 5. At Louisville—Chicago, 10; Louisville, 4.

SUNDAY'S NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Chicago—Chicago, 8; Cincinnati, 1. At Louisville—Louisville, 5, St. Louis, 3.

Pennsylvania State League.

	W.	L.	P. C.		W.	L.	P. C.
Shenand'h	18	6	.750	Reading	11	12	.478
Allentown	16	8	.727	Hazleton	9	14	.391
Pottsville	13	9	.591	Harrisburg	3	15	.318
Lancaster	12	11	.522	Philada	5	18	.217

SATURDAY'S PENNSYLVANIA LEAGUE GAMES

At Harrisburg—Philadelphia, 4; Harrisburg, 3. At Lancaster—Lancaster, 9; Allentown, 7. At Reading—Reading, 7; Hazleton, 3. At Pottsville—Pottsville, 6; Shenandoah, 2.

Saturday's Eastern League Games.

At Providence—Providence, 1; Syracuse, 0. At Springfield—First game: Springfield, 12; Scranton, 0. Second game: Springfield, 20; Scranton, 3. At Erie—Erie, 5; Binghamton, 3. At Buffalo—Buffalo, 14; Wilkesbarre, 3.

SUNDAY'S EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Providence—Providence, 3; Syracuse, 1. At Wilkesbarre—Buffalo, 20; Wilkesbarre, 19.

The Sympathy Strike Declared Off.

CHICAGO, Aug 6.—After a struggle of forty days against the united railroads the American Railway union in Chicago has declared off the strike inaugurated in behalf of the Pullman employes. Beginning this morning each member of the union who responded to the order to strike will be at liberty to resume work. The strike is declared off along the entire systems of railroad affected by the recent movement, except the employes of the Santa Fe and the Chicago and Eastern Illinois

Wreck on the Brooklyn Bridge.

NEW YORK, Aug 6.—A peculiar accident, which fortunately was unattended with serious results, occurred at the Brooklyn end of the Brooklyn bridge Saturday evening Car No 83 jumped the track and fell fifteen feet to the roadway There were four persons in the car, who, beyond slight cuts and bruises, were not seriously hurt.

Charged with Killing His Sister.

WILMINGTON, Del., Aug. 6.—Robert Demby, a 19-year-old colored boy, was locked up in the police station in this city last night, on the charge of murdering his sister He quarreled with her a few days ago and, it is claimed, kicked her in the stomach She died Saturday night.

Eight Thousand Will Resume Work.

PHILLIPSBURG, Pa., Aug. 6.—Work will be resumed tomorrow morning at all mines idle on account of the strike during the past three months The mining rate will be forty cents a ton gross. Nearly 8,000 men will resume work.

Forger Baker Taken to Maryland.

BRIDGETON, N J., Aug. 6.—Horace D. Baker, the Vineland forger with numerous aliases, was turned over to the custody of Sheriff Hughes, of Harford county, Md. He has been indicted there for forgery under the name of George P. Sage.

All Ready for Johnson's Hanging.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Aug. 6.—The gallows on which Harry Johnson will be hanged tomorrow has been erected against the northern wall of the jail yard. Johnson is undergoing a terrible strain, but is determined not to break down

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It took the jury in the case of Carnot's assassin just thirteen minutes to agree on a verdict of guilty. Thirteen was an unlucky number in this fellow's case.

Hon. Daniel N. Lockwood, of Buffalo, who has been regarded as a very available candidate for Lieutenant Governor and who, it is thought, could have the nomination if he desired it, has authorized the publication of the statement that under no circumstances will he be a candidate for the office. Mr. Lockwood does not commit himself in regard to the gubernatorial nomination, but is understood to be willing to make the run.

Reports from the corn belt indicate that the crop, which, two weeks ago, gave every promise of being greater than the great crop of 1889, will be almost a failure. Indiana is the only state in which the yield will be up to the average. In Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois and Northern Missouri, the scorching winds, which blew for several days after a protracted drouth, dried up, withered and blasted the growing crop and ruined the prospect of an abundant harvest.

The holding up of the Tariff bill by the Senate has done much to strengthen the popular desire to bring the Senate closer to the people by holding senators to a more rigid accountability for their official acts, and the election of senators by popular vote is the natural method of making that body more amenable to public opinion. The New York *Times* foresees a possibility that the election of United States senators by the people may become a party issue in 1896, for several Democratic State Conventions declared in favor of the change, while Republican conventions have been silent on the subject and have refused to make nominations for that office, preferring to leave the choice of candidates to the Legislature.

Gov. Flower, who is at Saratoga, talked politics, yesterday, and said that if he had his say a solemn pledge that the Democratic party will not pass another tariff bill in twenty years would go into the Democratic State platform, this fall. The Governor said that he is confident a bill of some kind will go through Congress in a week or two, and be promptly signed by the President, and that its passage will be followed by the greatest outbreak of prosperity the country has ever witnessed. Continuing he said.

Thousands and thousands of dollars' worth of drygoods will be taken out of bond; money locked up in the banks because of the caution of its owners will go into many enterprises, and there will be a big business boom. One of the reasons for the great expansion of trade will be the general conviction that the tariff question is settled for many years to come. No matter how the tariff question is settled, business men are going to be contented, The Republican party is not going to make any political capital by finding fault with the details of the bill. What the business world will consider will be that the Tariff bill is at last passed and that its business is to adjust itself to it. Within a year every business man will have arranged his business to fit in with the tariff and everything will be running smoothly. That is why I think a plank should be put in the Democratic State Convention's platform this year assuring the business men that, so far as the Democratic party is concerned, the tariff shall not be disturbed and business disturbed by propositions to change tariff rates for at least twenty years. With the tariff question out of the way, I do not see what our Republican brothers are going to do. Gov McKinley, when he comes into the State in September, will find his chief topic, the tariff, gone.

A WOMAN IN HEAVEN.

A sensational clergyman in Brooklyn named Matley, recently preached a sermon in which he is alleged to have said. "Did you ever read in the Bible of a woman being in Heaven? I don't believe there is a woman there or ever shall be," and more of the same sort. The Elizabeth *Journal* suggests that perhaps the man wanted to get his name in the papers. Still if he will read Rev. xii:1 he will find these words: "And there appeared a great wonder in Heaven, a woman."

Foreclosed a Mortgage on a Church

The Methodist Church at Glenham, Dutchess county, near Matteawan, was sold under a foreclosure of mortgage, on Thursday. William Brown, of Matteawan, bought the property, and for the present will allow the society to use the building. The Fishkill Rural Cemetery held the mortgage on the property.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NO AGREEMENT ON THE TARIFF.

The Sugar Schedule Disposed Of and Coal and Iron Now Under Discussion —Chances About Even for Agreement.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The conferees on the tariff bill met at 10 o'clock, and according to both Senators Jones and Vest no agreement was in sight at noon.

It appears that sugar is practically disposed of and that the contention of the House conferees has been turned in the direction of free coal and iron, for which they are holding out with renewed vigor. When that shall be disposed of the remainder of the bill can easily be settled.

According to some Democrats the outlook favors another disagreeing report. One of the Senate conferees, this morning, made the statement that the chances were about even on the final result.

VIGILANT AN EASY VICTOR.

The Britannia Defeated by Eight Minutes in To-day's Race Round the Isle of Wight.

By United Press.

COWES, Aug. 6 —The Vigilant, Britannia and Satanita started in a race, to-day, over the Royal London Yacht Club course to and around the Isle of Wight. With a good northwest breeze the yachts crossed the starting line in the following order: Satanita, Britannia and Vigilant. There was only a few seconds between them.

The Satanita and Vigilant quickly drew away from the Britannia, and at the second mark the Satanita led the Vigilant by seven seconds, and the Vigilant was a minute ahead of the Britannia. The wind was lighter and had shifted to the southwest.

The Vigilant won easily. The time of the finish was Vigilant 5h, 4m, 35s, Britannia 5h, 12m, 48s.

THE ALABAMA ELECTION.

By United Press.

MONTGOMERY, Aug. 6 —An election is being held, to-day, for State officers and Members of the Legislature. It is the first trial of the Australian ballot system.

The weather is wet. Indications favor the Democrats.

MANY ANARCHISTS ON TRIAL

By United Press

PARIS, Aug. 6.—Thirty anarchists were placed on trial, to day.

PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED.

A Middletowner Stabbed by a Jealous Husband in Liberty—Another Middletowner Arrested for Defending His Friend.

Mr. Peter Berger, of this city, was called to Liberty, Saturday, by a telegram announcing that his brother Milton Berger, also a Middletowner, who has been working at his trade of painter in Liberty for some time, had been seriously hurt.

Mr. Berger has not yet returned, and information as the nature of his brother's injuries is very meagre.

A Liberty man spent last night in town and had heard something about the affair. Another man who came down on the O. and W., this morning, had also heard of the injuries to Mr. Berger.

As far as we have been able to learn there is a woman in the case, and a jealous husband, whose name we failed to learn, caused Mr. Berger's injuries, stabbing him three times, twice in the abdomen and once in the neck.

It is also reported that a friend of Berger's, also a Middletowner, who was in a wagon in front of the house where the fracas occurred, hearing Berger's cries for help, ran into the house and threw the husband down stairs and injured him quite badly, and was arrested.

The report further says that Berger's injuries are so serious that it is believed he cannot recover. Mr. Berger has been in the employ of Randall, the painter, for several years.

Repaving James Street.

Messrs. Orr Bros., under the direction of the Street Committee of the Common Council, this morning, began tearing up the asphalt pavement on James street. They removed all the blocks on the east side of the street and between the tracks. The Committee has unlimited power and may, if it sees fit, take up every block on the street, put own a concrete base and relay with new blocks. When the job is completed the taxpayers will have a large investment in the James street pavement.

Gone to Join the Campers.

Misses Julia and Bessie Meyers, May Pronk, Bessie Rogers, Sadie Sliter and Kate Green, and Messrs. Arlington Ambler and Will W. Woodward, left town, to-day, to join the camping party at Twin Lakes, Pike county, Pa.

When a person takes a cold it is not infrequently accompanied by a cough. Constant coughing if not relieved at once by Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, the ready cure for all such affections, will weaken the patient, intensify the irritation causing the cough until headache and fever are developed, often ending in inflammation of the air-passages.

BROUGHT TO THE STATE HOSPITAL

William Doll, Who Made an Unsuccessful Attempt at Suicide, Brought to This City.

William Doll, a coachman employed by the McKenzie family at Glen Spey, attempted suicide at that place July 18th, by shooting himself with a revolver. One ball lodged in his head and another in his bowels.

He was taken to Hunt's Hospital, in Port Jervis, for treatment. It was not thought possible that he could live at the time, but he has lingered in a semi-unconscious state since the shooting, and at times is violently insane. He was brought to the State Hospital in this city, on Saturday evening.

The patrol wagon had been summoned to meet the train, which arrives here at 7:12, and the sight of the wagon on the street and the news that an injured man was expected on train 8, attracted a crowd of people which numbered according to various estimates from one to two thousand persons.

Dr. Arthur and two attendants brought Doll from Port Jervis to this city.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

—The New York, Ontario and Western's annual report shows a net surplus after paying all charges of $400 000 against $250,000 last year.

—A conductor of the train on the P., P. and B. R. R., recently said that about one hundred and eighty cans and from ninety to one hundred boxes of bottled milk are collected daily between Swartswood and Pine Island; that five to ten cars of coal are shipped from Deckertown toward Middletown daily, and as many from Pine Island, some of it going to the New England States. The local freight traffic is large and increasing. The road from Swartswood to Pine Island is operated by the N. Y., S. and W. R. R.

Just Married.

How loving they are; this is always a sure sign. After the first year sometimes it don't hold good. When Charles comes home to you grouty and cross, snapping and snarling, unable to relish the nice dinner you have cooked, and feels as if there was a ton of pig iron in his stomach, he is troubled with dyspepsia, and Sulphur Bitters is the only medicine that will cure him.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

JAS P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North street, Middletown, N. Y. Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

	NEW YORK, Aug. 6, '94. High	Low	Close
Sugar	106	104¾	105⅞
A. T. & S. F.	4⅛	4	4⅛
C. B. & Q.	72¾	70	70⅝
Chicago Gas	74⅛	73⅜	73⅞
D. L. & W.	164	164	164
Dis. & Cat. F.	19¾	18⅝	19
Erie			
General Electric	37	36⅝	36⅞
L. & N.	48	47¾	47⅞
L. S.	130⅜	129⅞	129⅞
M. P.	27¼	25⅝	26⅜
N. Y. & N. E.			
N. Y. C.	97⅜	97⅛	97⅜
N. W.	104	103½	103½
N. P. Pfd.	14¾	13⅞	13⅞
O. & W.	15	15	15
Nat. Lead	39⅜	39¼	39¼
R. T.	15¼	15⅛	15⅛
P. & B.	18⅜	17⅞	17⅞
R. I.	64⅜	63	63⅛
O. M. & St. P.	59¾	58¾	58⅞
U. P.	8⅜	8	8
W. Union	86⅛	85⅜	86
U. S. Cordage	21⅞	21⅜	21⅜
Manhattan	114¾	114	114⅜
Sept. Wheat	55	54	54⅛
Sept. Corn	51¾	50¾	51⅛
Sept. Oats	31	30	30⅜
Sept. Pork	$13 25	$13 15	$13 15
Sept. Lard	7 22	7 17	7 17

DIED.

WOOD—In this city, Aug 6th '94, Wilbur F., infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P Wood, aged nine months.
Interment in Hillside Cemetery.

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla is carefully prepared by experienced pharmacists from Sarsaparilla, Dandelion, Mandrake, Dock, Pipsissewa, Juniper Berries, and other well known vegetable remedies. The Combination, Proportion and Process are Peculiar to Hood's Sarsaparilla, giving it strength and curative power Peculiar to Itself, not possessed by other medicines. Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures Scrofula, Salt Rheum, Sores, Boils, Pimples and all other affections caused by impure blood; Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Debility, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver Complaints. It is Not What we Say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla Does, that Tells the Story — Hood's Sarsaparilla CURES

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Isaac Lipfeld.

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1 case 33 inch India Twills, cashmere effects, 7½c., worth 15c

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1 case light weight Unbleached Muslin 2 1-2c., worth 4c.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Fair, warmer; variable winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 64°; 12 m., 84°; 3 p. m., 85°.

AMUSEMENTS AND RECREATIONS.

—Aug. 12—Lecture by Rev. Lyman Ward, at Assembly Rooms.

—Aug. 15—Twenty-eighth annual picnic of Middletown Division, No. 1, A. O. H., at Mannerchor Park.

—Aug. 16—Annual clam bake of Millard Division, O. H. C. at Livingston Manor.

—Aug 21 24—Middletown Horsemen's Association races, at Campbell track.

—Aug. 22 Clam bake of Merchants' Protective Association, at Livingston Manor.

—Aug 26—Lecture by Rev. J. D. Crosby, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Household goods for sale, Tuesday, at 308 North street.

—Car load of cows and three bulls for sale by Ayers & Giveans.

—Choice Delaware county butter for sale by C. N Predmore & Son

—Clothing of all kinds cheap at Isaac Lipfeld's.

—100 men's wool suits at $5 at Chas. Wolff & Son's.

—Men's and boys' sweaters from 25 cents up at John E. Adams's.

—"We have apples i the hatchet" See adv. of Budwig & Co.

—Special sale, Tuesday, of dress shields and thimbles at the New York Store

—New stock of groceries for sale by Ritter & Beyea, Runyon's old stand.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Regular monthly meetings of the several fire companies, this evening.

—One of the Madison House 'bus horses died, last night, and a very good team was spoiled.

—Coroner A. L. Decker will hold the Nightingale inquest at Burnside, this evening.

—Messrs. Comes & Lutes, to day, settled with Ed. Russell for the damage caused by lightning to the Oriental Hotel, a short time ago.

—The regular monthly meeting of the 24th Separate Company will be held at the armory, to-morrow evening at 8.30 o'clock.

—Although most farmers have finished haying there are still a few fields of standing grass to be seen here and there as one rides through the country.

—Fishkill Landing's water supply is getting very low and consumers have been warned to exercise all possible economy in the use of water.

—The advance agent of Forepaugh's circus was in town, to-day, arranging for a show in this city on Sept. 3d.

—Business is so brisk in the Elmira iron and steel mills that they are being run to their fullest capacity, all departments being in operation with day and night shifts.

—Binghamton has over 500 pensioners who receive over $40,000 a year. Over forty of these are under suspicion at Washington and have been asked to show cause why their certificates should not be annulled.

—Members of the committee soliciting subscriptions for the erection of buildings for the Orange County Fair complain that Newburgh business men show but little interest in the fair and that money is given grudgingly and in small amounts.

—The *Register* calls the attention of Newburgh's Street Superintendent to the fine crop of grass growing in two of the city's down town streets and suggests that if he has not time to gather the crop he had better buy a cow and pasture her on the grass grown streets.

—The Dutchess Hat Works, at Fishkill Landing, shut down for three days last week, expecting to start up this morning. The factory has been doing something all through the season, turning out, the *Standard* says, about 300 dozen hats a day.

PERSONAL.

—Mr. I. W. Startup, of Jersey City, was in town yesterday.

—Mrs. Daniel Gault, of this city, is visiting her mother at Salem.

—Messrs. Geo. Walker and James Messenger spent Sunday at Liberty.

—Rev. Jesse C. Coddington spent Sunday with his parents in this city.

—Mrs. Charles Schwartz returned, Saturday, from a week's visit at Port Jervis.

—Mr. Robert McCready and daughter, of Sloatsburgh, spent Sunday at C. W. Hill's.

—Miss Sara Stevens, of Oxford, is visiting at Mr. Chas. W. Tuthill's, on East Main street.

—Rev. John Cochran assisted Rev. S. M. Cole in religious services at Bridgeville, yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Olmstead returned, yesterday, from a week's trip through Sullivan county.

—Miss Tillie Robshaw, of Monroe, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Robshaw, in this city.

—Mr. Chas. A. Wiley, assistant secretary of the Scranton, Pa., Y. M. C. A., spent Sunday with friends here.

—Mr. John L. Shields, a highly respected resident of Port Jervis, died Saturday morning, aged sixty-eight years. He is survived by two sons and four daughters.

—Mr. Levi Turner, of Woodhull, Ill., is visiting his cousin, Mrs. Mary E. Wilkin, 21 East avenue. Mr. Turner resided at Cuddebackville in his boyhood.

—Messrs. John A. Statts and Chas. Van Leuvan, of G. B. Adams's store, and Mr. John Dennis, of Carson & Towner's, returned, Saturday evening, from Portland, Me., where they spent their vacations.

—Mr. F. B. Williams spent Sunday in Norwich.

—Rev. S. M. Cole, of Bridgeville, was in town, to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wolff spent Sunday at Monticello.

—Misses Addie Shaw and Viola Miller left town, this morning, for Asbury Park.

—Miss Anna Harman returned, last evening, from a three weeks' visit to Piermont.

—Miss Carrie Barrett, of Walden, is visiting Miss Jessie Smith on North street.

—Deputy Sheriff Samuel Pitts, of Montgomery, is in this city, to-day, on official business.

—Mr. W Lock Ireland, of Supt. Bradfield's Office, spent Sunday at Coventryville, N. Y.

—Misses Jennie Mandeville and Lottie Purdy are visiting Miss Fannie M. Corwin, on East Main street.

—Rev. J. M. Robertson, of Liberty, left on Erie train 3, last night, for a visit to friends in Jamestown, N. Y.

—Mrs. Frank Crawford and Miss Grace Kortright left town, this morning, for a month's visit at Lake Mohonk.

—Miss Annie Iles, of Yonkers, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Emma Bowler, on Monhagen avenue returned home this afternoon.

—Mrs. J. H. Drake and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. K. DeWitt and family, who have been spending several weeks on Long Island, are expected to return home to-morrow.

—Miss Bessie Edwards, of New York, who has been visiting Miss Emma Bowler for the past three weeks, returned home yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. Cleary and daughters, Agnes, Lizzie and Jennie and Miss B. Ward, all of New York, are visiting their uncle, Mr. Charles Dailey, of 198 Academy avenue.

—Dr. and Mrs. Darwood will leave this city for their annual vacation, to-morrow. They will go to the Thousand Islands and subsequently visit some of the larger cities of Canada.

—A letter from Mr. Lewis C. Tuttle, who was recently appointed to a place in the Government printing office at Washington, states that he is more than pleased with his assignment, which is a very good one.

—Mrs. Nellie Smith, widow of the late William Smith, and her sister, Miss Ada Smith, of Middletown, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George C. Smith.—*Fishkill Standard.*

—Mrs. Frank Chamberlain, of Chicago, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned home on Erie train 5, last evening, accompanied by her sister, Miss Nellie Sweezy.

—Miss Mary Augusta Wilson, the principal of one of the public schools of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending a part of her vacation with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Juliette Wilson, on Lake avenue.

—Mrs. H. C. Benson and son, Mrs. H. M. Hayes and children and Mrs. A. L. Decker, of this city, who have been spending the past few weeks at Rockland, have gone to Wurtsboro, where they expect to remain for the rest of the summer.

—Messrs. Herbert and Thomas Casey, of New York, former residents of Middletown, arrived in town, Saturday evening, and visited among their friends. They will go to Callicoon, this evening, and spend a two weeks' vacation.

—Mr. Theodore Taylor, who will succeed Mr. C. P. Sadlier as Superintendent of the Prudential Insurance Company, who resigned to accept the general agency for the Equitable, begins his duties to-day. Mr. Sadlier will remain in the Prudential's employ one more week to induct the new superintendent into office.

An O. and W. Brakeman Injured.

Fred Wakeman, an O. and W. brakeman, was badly injured by the breaking of a brake chain at East Branch, yesterday. He fell from the car, breaking his leg and sustained injuries about the head and back. He was taken to his parents' home at Walton, and his wife, who resides in this city, went to that village on train 5, last evening.

A Queer Freak of Lightning.

Lightning struck the house of Ransom Wilcox, in the town of Greenville, one day last week, and the current in passing from the roof to the cellar burned a hole through one of the beds.

This will upset the theory of many people that a bed is the safest place during a thunder storm.

A Problem in Proportion for Base Ball Cranks.

The Asylums defeated the Orange Athletics 18 to 4. The Orange Athletics defeated the Ironsides 10 to 0. The Ironsides beat the Brooklyns, yesterday, 3 to 2. Given this proportion by what score should the Asylums beat the Brooklyns?

A Successful Fishing Trip.

Messrs. Chas. VanSchaick and S. S. Decker and their wives returned, last evening, from a fishing trip to McKee's pond with 90 pickerel of all sizes, the aggregate weight of which was 125 pounds.

A Bold Thief.

A very bold thief, last night, stole a chair from the stoop of Mr. Wm. VanSchaick's residence. What next?

SUNDAY SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S.

A Sermon on Love—Praise for Middletown Papers—Additions to Church Membership—The Pastor's Vacation.

"Love" was the subject of Rev. Dr. Darwood's discourse at St. Paul's Church, yesterday morning, and his text was selected from 1st Cor. xiii:13. The doctor read the entire chapter from which his text was chosen, supplying the word "love" for "charity," as in the new version, and after remarking upon some of the mistakes which the translators of the King James version made in "giving to the Hebrew and Greek words, meanings which they never had and never ought to have," he declared that the man or woman who had not yet learned to love has not learned the first letter in the Christian alphabet. "There is a vast amount of unadulterated selfishness in human nature and joining the church does not always take it out of us," said the doctor. "Because we have succeeded in dodging the devil, scrambled up the hill of Calvary and received a pardon, we shout, 'Glory to God,' without regard to those who are unsaved. In this we show not love, but the quintessence of selfishness."

Love's chief elements of good were then set forth by the doctor under eight different heads, and when the doctor referred to the second element—"It envieth not," he warned his hearers against envying the gaudy and expensive wardrobes, in which their neighbors might be clothed by fashion, and diverged from his sermon far enough to declare that he abominated the word "fashion" and would have his own way about what he should wear, whether it pleased others or not.

In connection with the sixth element of love the doctor said, "Love thinketh no evil, but puts the best possible construction upon everything. There are those who delight in listening to a bad story and are anxious to get hold of those vile, damnable papers that print the worst. They always remind me of the buzzards I used to see along the Ohio river, hovering over an old carcass. It matters not what we profess, if we manifest this spirit we do not belong to Christ."

The papers of this city were highly complimented by the doctor on their freedom from objectionable matter, and he assured his hearers they were the cleanest sheets he had ever seen

At the close of the sermon sixteen persons were received into the church, fourteen from probation and two by letter. In referring to his prospective vacation, the doctor said he would be absent until the first Sunday in September, and that Rev. Dr. Gordon, of the First Presbyterian Church, had kindly offered to respond to any calls from members of the church or congregation where the services of a pastor were desired.

Dr. Darwood's evening discourse was on "The finger of God in creation, spread of Christianity and dealings with nations."

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION.

At St. Anthony's Shrine at Butler, N. J.—Mgr. Satolli to Be Present.

On Aug. 15, begins the 700th year since the birth of the Franciscan Order of St. Anthony of Padua. The event will be celebrated with great pomp and solemnity by the Franciscans in charge of the shrine at Butler, a mountain town on the N. Y., S. and W. Road, about midway between this city and New York.

The jubilee will be opened Aug. 14, with Pontificial Vespers at 8 p. m.

After service the advent of the seventh centenary will be hailed by the pealing of all the church bells and a salute of seven cannon will make the surrounding mountains reecho. The church at the same time will be illuminated by 700 lights, and a huge bonfire will cause it to be seen from the tops of the mountains at a distance of ten miles.

On Aug. 15, the day proper, His Excellency, the Most Rev. Francis Satolli, Delegate Apostolic, of Washington, D. C., will officiate at the Pontificial High Mass at 10:30 a. m.; a Redemptorist Father, of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., will preach the sermon.

Parties desirous of participating in the festivities will obtain any information about all particulars by applying to "The Centennial Committee" of St. Anthony's Shrine, Butler, N. J.

Just Where He Ought to Be.

From the Paterson Press.

Cornelius Eckerson, a farmer of Ramseys, Bergen county, is in the Hackensack jail in default of $500 bail on a charge of beating his wife. Eckerson is very wealthy and could furnish $5,000 bail as easily as $500, but he declared he would sooner go to jail than do so.

Heavy Travel on the O. and W.

All of the O. and W. trains were crowded Saturday. No. 1, the regular train, had five coaches; No. 3, the noon train, had nine; No. 7 had the same number, while fourteen coaches were required to accommodate the crowd who patronized the Saturday Half Holiday train.

Base Ball Notes.

—The Cuban Giants defeated the Patersons, yesterday, 10 to 3.

—Heckman and Morehead played with the Ironsides, yesterday, in their game with Brooklyn.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN COSHEN.

Colored Choral Union Concert—Base Ball Notes—Deaths from Cholera Infantum—Used Reno Hyatt's Name.

From our Regular Correspondent.

—The Colored Choral Union will give a concert at the Music Hall, August 23d. The programme will consist of singing, dancing, choruses, etc. Admission twenty-five cents; reserved seats thirty-five cents.

—The Johnson Corner ball club is playing the Campbell Hall Giants at Campbell Hall, this afternoon.

—Editor Drake and J. E. Landy started for Sullivan county, to-day, to spend the week.

—The infant child of Joseph Zierer died, Saturday, aged about one month. The funeral was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

—Roy, the adopted son of Mr. Ketcham, of Hamptonburgh, died, yesterday, of cholera infantum, aged five months. Funeral to-morrow at 2 p. m.

—The Gorhams, the celebrated colored ball players, will play the Goshens at the Driving Park, August 24th.

—Reno Hyatt indignantly denies that he was implicated in the scuffle with the women, as mentioned in Saturday's Middletown papers, as he was not in Middletown at all Friday afternoon, and that the party arrested used his name most unwarrantedly, and a correction is demanded, as it does him a great injustice.

AT MIDWAY PARK.

Thousands, Impatient to Visit the Resort, Couldn't Wait for the Electric Cars.

If the officers of the Electric Railway Co. ever had any doubts that Midway Park would be a popular resort with Middletowners, they ought to have been at the park, yesterday.

It was generally understood that the company would run cars to the park, Saturday night, but the feed and trolley wires were not strung and it was impossible to start the cars, but the people were not to be disappointed. It was a day that everybody wanted to get out of doors and all wanted to go to Midway.

Those who had horses and carriages or could afford to hire them could, of course, go and come when they wished, but many neither owned them nor could afford to hire.

Owners of 'buses soon "caught on" and carried loads of passengers to the park and hundreds of people walked,

Those who drove went by way of Phillipsburgh, but others walked over the line of the road. When they reached the river bank they found a narrow foot bridge that but few people cared to walk over, but Jack Litz was there and saw an opportunity to turn an honest penny and at the same time accommodate the people.

He took the raft used in carrying workmen across the river and erected rude seats upon it and began ferrying the people across the river to the park, and did a land office business all day long. He charged only the paltry fee of five cents for the round trip, but was so liberally patronized that he made money.

The parties who own the boating privilege at the park, learned at an early hour in the morning, that the number of boats on hand is insufficient, for they were all quickly taken and hundreds of people who would have hired boats could not do so.

Visitors to the park contented themselves with roaming about the grounds and noting the improvements made in the walks and drives and viewing the scenery from Hopper Hill.

It only needs the railway to the park and the opening up of the restaurant and other attractions there, to give Middletown what it has long desired, and the sooner the railway officials give the people what they want, the better they will be pleased with the railway management.

Put a Bullet in His Friend's Brain.

Myers Van Duzer, of Wappingers Falls, was shooting at a mark, Saturday, and had fired several times and missed. Fred Sherman came along in a boat and, not at all deterred by his bad marksmanship, Van Duzer tried to put a bullet through his hat. He hit the hat and Sherman's head as well, the bullet lodging in his brain and killing him instantly.

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Every Pair of Summer Shoes at Sacrifice Prices to close the season.

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All $1 Oxford Ties, black or tan, for 89c. a pair.

All 75 cent Children's Tan Shoes for 69c

All 90c. Misses' Tan Shoes for 79c.

All $1.50 Ladies' Black Oxford Ties, **patent tip,** opera toe, for $1.19 a pair.

All $2 Tan Blucher Oxford Ties for $1 69 a pair.

All Ladies' White Canvas Shoes, regular $2 goods, for $1 39 a pair.

No reserve. All summer shoes at cut prices.

Ladies' Shirt Waists and Duck Suits **marked way down to close season.**

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STARTING HORSES.

SOME OF THE REASONS WHY THIS IS A DIFFICULT BUSINESS.

Why It Is Harder Here Than In Other Countries—Bother of Short Dashes—Popular Misunderstandings of Good and Bad Starts.

Starting race horses is a fine art, and the man who fancies it isn't will never be convinced until he stands, flag in hand, facing 10,000 persons, and with a dozen or so thoroughbreds, ridden by anxious jockeys, upon the track, each rider doing his best to get an advantage over his fellows. In 19 cases out of 20 it is not the thoroughbred that is to blame for the trouble at the post, nor is it the jockey directly, but it is the owner, trainer or some speculator in the background who has urged the jockey to get off in front, no matter what happens, and who has promised to pay his fine or reimburse him for any penalty he may incur in carrying out instructions. It is all very well to sit in the grand stand and criticise the work of the starter. One must try the business himself to appreciate its difficulties and its trials.

It is a much harder task to start race horses as we race in this country than in England, France, Austria or Australia, where the pace is very slow at the start, and a length or two advantage when the flag falls does not count for much. With us, and especially of late years, since the system of short dashes has become so popular with horse owners, which, by the way, has had such a depressing influence on the improvement of the blooded horse, the style has been to ride pellmell from the start, and races are won and lost very frequently when the flag falls. Judgment of pace is fast becoming a lost art, and even our best jockeys now, with very rare exceptions, have no more idea of race riding than to get away well and take the shortest course home in the quickest possible fashion. Consequently every boy becomes imbued with the idea that to win he must get off in front.

The reader can easily picture to himself the scene at the post when there are 15 or 20 horses, many of them ridden by boys not 16 years of age, all of whom have been told—some of them with threats and others with promises of large rewards—to get the best of the start. Any visitor to our race tracks is familiar with the scene at the post. Half a dozen horses will rush away at a false break when there is no possible chance for an equitable start, and when they come trotting back and before they have had time to wheel and get into line those that remained behind the first time will dash out and run perhaps a hundred yards, leaving the first squad in their places. Thus goes on indefinitely.

The public is also familiar with the sight of one or more horses standing motionless some lengths behind their competitors. The starter asks the riders of the horses in advance of the laggards to wait until they have taken their positions. Each boy seems to think it is his bounden duty to walk his horse when those in the rear attempt to move up at a walk and to break away madly if an attempt is made by those behind to come up at a run.

A starter should have a thorough knowledge of racing, should be a man of a high degree of intelligence, be quick of eye and hand and, above all, be of unimpeachable integrity. The issue of many thousands of dollars, oftentimes hundreds of thousands of dollars, is decided by the fall of his red flag, and it is his duty to see that every horse, no matter by whom he is owned, has an equal chance when he leaves the post. Every effort is made to catch the horses in motion and on as nearly even terms as possible. The eye must take in the field in a twinkling, and if the judgment is that the start is satisfactory the hand will act in unison with the eye and the brain.

Very often horses are in bad places, and what might look to be a good start from the grand stand would be a poor one in the judgment of the starter, and the flag does not fall. Criticism follows, and generally it is of the harshest and most unjust character. Some horses are quicker on their feet than others and will make a good start look like a poor one through their ability to get under way much more rapidly than their competitors. A good start when the flag drops becomes to the unthinking and ignorant a poor start, and abuse is heaped upon the head of the official.

From time to time mechanical appliances for starting race horses have been invented, but they have not been practical and have not achieved success. A swinging gate to be raised by electricity was spoken of some time ago, but fractious thoroughbreds could not be got near it. There are, again, horses that are not to be controlled at times, and collisions with the obstacle would undoubtedly be of daily occurrence. Then, too, it would take months of drilling to get horses to overcome the idea that they were not going to run into the gate. This and many other objections can be raised against this system. A western inventor has patented a gate to be lowered before the horses while they stand at the post, which may be moved away from them at a rapid rate of speed by electric power, the barrier moving onward and upward at the same time.—New York Sun.

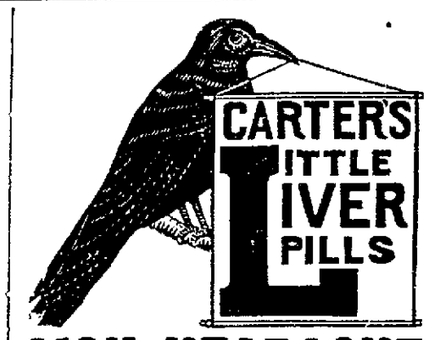
Had to Be.

Aunt Sophie—How peacefully still and solemn it always is on Sunday.

Little Nephew—Yes; an' that's because so many children's papas is at home.—Good News.

An Egyptian curio collector has an old time watch which is shaped like a cow's horn. At the end of every hour it discharges a tiny pistol.

Happy the man who only learns the wide chasm that lies between his wishes and his powers.—Goethe.



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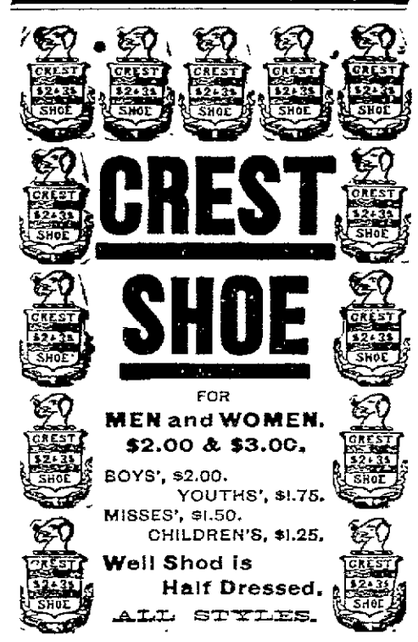

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And watched the evening fire until
The sandman came our eyes to fill.
A quarter of a century—
How much this means to you and me!
To those whose love still helps us bear
Our daily burden, daily care,
But for whose words we might not know
That we were playmates long ago!

Come, sit beside the fire with me!
And let us fancy it to be
The self-same fire that filled our eyes
With childish wonder and surprise
And watch it till we seem to hear
The same old sandman drawing near!
Forget this evening—for we can—
The sober woman, serious man,
Revive, in all their simple joy,
The laughing girl and careless boy,
That we may feel what others know—
That we were playmates long ago!
—Ralph H. Shaw in Good Housekeeping.

THOSE STRIPED STOCKINGS.

A Lewiston Man Tells a Good Story of the Indian Territory.

The returned Lewistonian fell to talking over a revolver that he carried in the arrest of a desperado in New Mexico, and then he diverged and told this story:

"Once when we were going down in the Indian Terirtory as we rode out of the village we passed the house where a New Brunswick girl had just come to live in the little prairie village. There had been considerable joking about the new arrival, and as we passed she came out to hang up her washing on the line. I rode a little red pony—one that I had swapped a shotgun for—and when I saw the New Brunswick girl hang up a pair of the longest, biggest striped stockings I had ever seen I rode right up into the yard and under the clothesline and seized those stockings and pulled 'em off the line and rode away.

"All that trip down across the hot plains and over the rustling buffalo grass the boys plagued me about those stockings. I had put them into my trunk and kept them. I don't know what I took them for or why I kept them.

"Well we got down into the territory and among the Indians. They are great gamblers, you know, and we bet with them everything we had. We raced and won from them all the money and blankets they possessed.

"The blankets were United States army blankets, but we can use them by cutting out the 'U. S.' At last we came down to foot runners, and the Indians brought out their man. He was tall, broad chested and long limbed. He could go like the wind, and our best runner was nothing compared with him. Why, he was the best physical man I ever saw. He looked at our man, and his thick lip curled in derision.

"'He no good—get a man!'

"The savage was stripped to his skin. I looked at our man.

"'Jake,' I said, 'you wait a minute. Then I went and got those stockings. When I brought them out, they created the biggest kind of a sensation, and the curiosity to touch them was something comical.

"They just wanted to put their hands on them to see what they were.

"I did not let them satisfy their curiosity, but carried them through the crowd as if they were only relics.

"'Jake, put those on and run with them,' I said.

"'Why, I can't run with those on,' he said.

"'Yes, you can. Don't you see that they are mystified?'

"He put them on, and though he was a large man they came clear to his hips. We pinned them up, and he started with the big Indian. It was plain by the faces of the greasers that they had lost all faith in their man as against the striped stockings. The Indian ran a little distance and then fell behind, with his eyes fixed in terror on those flying stockings. He was beaten. And do you know I sold those stockings to the Indian for five ponies and a rifle?"—Lewiston Journal.

A Little "Ad." at the Picnic.

Enterprise in advertising has almost become a fine art in the present day. Novelties are not only numerous, but frequently unique. A Birmingham chemist recently, with his family, attended a picnic, and after the knife and fork tea, which formed part of the programme, he distributed among the company a number of sweetmeats, all of which bore an advertisement referring to his specialties, and later during the concert which followed his daughter sang a song the words of which set forth the advantages which could be derived from the use of certain pills, the frequent application of a well known plaster or daily doses of some one's tonic. Such enterprise, if somewhat "shoppy," certainly merits reward for its ingenuity.—Birmingham Mail.

No Use Telling Him Anything.

The man with the red whiskers looked defiant.

"No, sir," he declared, "I won't believe anything I can't see for myself."

The pale party pondered.

"Very well," he said after a moment. "I was going to tell you your necktie's up behind, but I guess I won't mind if you feel that way."—Detroit Tribune.

Easily Remedied.

Bank Clerk—This check, madam, isn't filled in.

Madam—Isn't what?

Bank Clerk—It has your husband's name signed to it, but does not state how much money you want.

Madam—Oh, is that all? Well, I'll take all there is.—Boston Home Journal.

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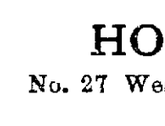

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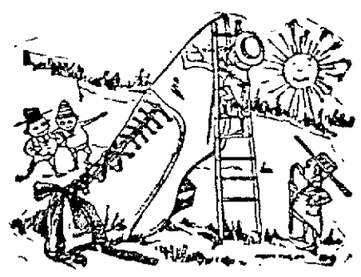

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The Duke of York only received the badge of the order, in the shape of the figure of a sheep in embossed gold suspended from a heavy chain of gold, but at a chapter of the order or at great court functions at Madrid he would be entitled to wear the full robes, consisting of a long mantle of crimson velvet, cut in the fashion of a sacerdotal cope, richly embroidered at the borders with emblematic devices of stars, half moons and fleeces in gold and lined with white satin, over a doublet and hose of crimson damask. The full robes also comprise a "chaperon," or hood, with a long flowing streamer of black satin, but this headgear has in modern times been generally dispensed with.

Originally the robes of the order, which was founded in 1429 by Philip the Good, duke of Burgundy, were of crimson cloth lined with white lamb's wool, and this circumstance has somewhat strengthened the theory that the golden fleece was instituted by Philip the Good in grateful recognition of the immense treasures which the Duke of Burgundy had acquired from the wool of the flocks reared on his vast estates in Flanders. Be it as it may, the woolen costume was changed in 1473 at a chapter held at Valenciennes for the more costly materials of velvet, taffeta, damask and gold embroidery.—London Telegraph.

CATCH QUESTIONS.

Some Puzzling Queries That Appear Not Hard to Answer.

If a goose weighs 10 pounds and a half its own weight, what is the weight of the goose? Who has not been tempted to reply on the instant 15 pounds? the correct answer being, of course, 20 pounds. It is astonishing what a very simple query will sometimes catch a wise man napping. Even the following have been known to succeed:

How many days would it take to cut up a piece of cloth 50 yards long, one yard being cut off every day?

A snail climbing up a pole 20 feet high ascends five feet every day and slips down four feet every night. How long will the snail take to reach the top of the post?

A wise man having a window one yard high and one yard wide, requiring more light, enlarged his window to twice its former size, yet the window was still only one yard high and one yard wide. How was this done?

This is a catch question in geometry, as the preceding were catch questions in arithmetic. The window was diamond shaped at first and was afterward made square.

As to the two former, perhaps it is scarcely necessary seriously to point out that the answer to the first is not 50 days, but 49, and to the second not 20 days, but 16, since the snail, who gains one foot each day for 15 days, climbs on the sixteenth day to the top of the pole and there remains.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Where Woman Comes Last.

An Arab—meaning a tent dweller; in an equine sense the town dweller is no Arab—loves first and above all his horse. No one need to recite the oft sung affection he will lavish upon him. Next he loves his firearm. This, poetically speaking, ought to be a six foot, gold inlaid, muzzle loading horror of a matchlock, which would kick any man but an Arab flat on his back at every shot, but actually, in Algeria or Tunis, when he lives near a city, it is more apt to be a modern English breechloader. You must fly from the busy haunts of men to find the matchlock. Next to his gun he loves his oldest son. Last comes his wife—or one of his wives perhaps.

Daughters don't count—I mean the Arab doesn't take the trouble to count them unless in so far as they minister to his comfort, dietetic or otherwise. Until some neighbor comes along and proposes to marry—in other words, to make a still worse slave of one of them—she is only a chattel, a soulless thing. And yet she is said to be a pretty, amiable, helpful being—said to be, for no one by any hap ever chances to cast his eyes on one worth seeing. This disregard for women, be it said to their honor, does not always apply to the Bedouins of the Syrian and Arabian deserts. —New York Journal.

"Counselor Therefore."

Sergeant Kelly, a celebrity of the Irish bar, had a remarkable habit of drawing conclusions directly at variance with his premises and was consequently nicknamed "Counselor Therefore." In court on one occasion he thus addressed the jury: "The case is so clear, gentlemen, that you cannot possibly misunderstand it, and I should pay your understandings a very poor compliment if I dwelt upon it for another minute. Therefore I shall at once proceed to explain it to you as minutely as possible."—Green Bag.

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E. M. HAMILTON, Collector.
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TIME TABLE.

Adopted June 17th, 1894.

STATIONS.	Milk	617	625	601	9	29	7	25	15	27	5	33	11	1	21	17	12	10	26	10	28	38	6	2	30	8	18	14	606	620
		P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Eastern Time. Leave NEW YORK																														
Arrive																														
Paterson																														
Turners																														
Monroe																														
Greycourt																														
Chester																														
Goshen																														
Middletown																														
Howells																														
Otisville																														
Port Jervis																														
East Time. Arr.																														
Lv. CHICAGO																														
Cent. Time. Arr.																														

*Daily. ‡Sundays only. †Except Sunday. b, Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch.—Leave Main St., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11:40 a. m. daily, and 6:55 p. m. daily.

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7:27 a. m., except Sunday, 11:20 a. m. daily, 5:25 p. m. except Sunday.

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. daily, 6:50 p. m. daily.

Newburgh, via Turners — Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., except Sunday, 10:53 a. m. daily, and 8:20 p. m. daily; 9:30 p. m. Sundays only. Train 30 connects for Newburgh via Arden instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7:45 a. m. except Sunday, 11:10 a. m. daily, 1:32 and 6:25 p. m. except Sunday, 5:50 p. m. Sundays only.

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Time Table Taking Effect June 24th, 1894.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	11 Milk *	1 On't Day Ex p	3 Mt'n Exp *	17 Sat Only A	7 Sull Co Exp	15 Ulster Co. Exp	5 Pacific Exp
N. Y. Leave	A	M A	M A	M P	M P	M P	M P
Franklin St	3 3.	7 40	9 00	1 30	3 00	4 15	7 35
W. 42d St.	3 45	7 55	9 15	1 45	3 15	4 30	7 45
Weehawken	4 00	8 10	9 30	2 00	3 30	4 40	8 02
Cornwall	6 15	9 45	10 50	3 40	5 00	6 15	9 40
W Cornwall	6 28	9 53	.....	.....	.....	6 23	9 48
Orr's Mills	6 31	9 55	.....	.....	.....	16 25	n9 52
Little Brit'n	6 51	11 05	.....	.....	.....	16 40	n10 03
Burnside	7 19	11 16	.....	.....	.....	16 52	n10 12
Campb'll H.	7 21	11 22	11 37	4 21	5 31	6 59	10 22
Stony Ford	7 27	11 27	.....	.....	n5 38	7 04	10 28
M'town Main St.	7 51	12 10	12 48	11 58	.....	7 18	10 32
M'town ar	7 55	12 10	12 45	12 10	4 45	5 50	7 20
M'town lv	8 45	11 05	12 10	12 10	5 00	5 00	7 20
Winterton	9 12	11 09	11 25	.....	.....	.....	7 46
Bloom'gb'gh	9 27	11 15	11 22	2	5 21	.....	7 52
Wurtsboro	9 37	11 19	11 12	6 15	5 25	6 21	7 56
Summitville	9 48	11 30	12 05	5	5 35	6 28	8 04
Ellenville ar	.....	11 50	1 05	5 55	6 50	8 25	.....
Fallsburgh	10 45	12 05	1 20	6 14	7 02	p m	12 02
Burleyville	11 00	12 12	1 28	6 21	7 10	.....	n12 07
Liberty Falls	11 15	n12 22	1 38	6 30	7 20	.....	n12 17
Liberty	11 30	12 29	1 45	6 40	7 25	.....	12 27
Parksville	11 45	12 40	P M	6 52	7 37	.....	n12 40
Ly'gst'n M'r	12 00	12 53	.....	7 05	7 53	.....	12 53
Rockland	noon	1 08	.....	7 20	P M	.....	1 08
Hancock Jct	.....	2 00	.....	P M	27	12	2 00
Walton	.....	2 45	.....	.....	12 45	8 05	2 50
Delhi ar	.....	3 40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Delhi lv	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sidney	.....	3 40	.....	.....	3 50	9 02	8 45
New Berlin	49	.....	41	.....	.....	.....	.....
N'rwich ar	A	M	4 20	A	M	.....	4 35
N'rwich lv	7 01	4 25	7 30	.....	P M	10 02	4 40
Oneid' Cast'l	11 15	6 10	9 1	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Oneida ar	11 25	6 15	9 15	.....	.....	.....	6 05
Oneida lv	11 32	6 20	9 22	.....	.....	.....	6 13
Fulton	12 35	6 20	9 22	.....	.....	.....	7 51
Oswego ar	5 05	8 13	11 28	.....	.....	.....	8 15
	6 00	8 25	11 50	.....	.....	.....	A M
	P M	P M	A M				

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 At-tica Exp	12 Nor-wich Exp	14 Del-hi Ex	30 Loca	2 Day Exp	18 B Sun-day Spec	28 Mixed
	P M	P M	.....	A M	A M	P M	.....
Oswego lv	9 40	2 50	.....	7 00	6 4	.....	.....
Oneida ar	11 25	5 10	.....	12 35	8 46	.....	.....
Oneida lv	11 32	5 15	.....	1 10	8 50	.....	.....
Oneid' Cast'l	11 35	5 22	P M	1 15	8 53	.....	.....
Norwich ar	12 56	7 15	6 43	5 45	10 27	.....	6 55
Norwich lv	1 05	P M	6 47	P M	10 42	.....	.....
New Berlin	3 25	.....	.....	.....	7 20	.....	.....
Sidney	2 00	.....	7 50	.....	11 45	.....	9 46
Delhi lv	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 15	.....	.....
Walton	2 50	.....	8 12	.....	1 25	.....	11 23
Hancock Jct	3 30	.....	S	4	1 20	.....	12
Rockland	14 17	.....	A M	M'l'n	2 10	4 15	M
Ly'gst'n M'r	4 31	.....	6 10	Exp	2 25	4 35	3 00
Parksville	.....	16	6 22	p m	2 37	4 48	3 12
Liberty	4 52	Express	6 35	2 25	2 51	5 05	3 25
Liberty Falls	.....		6 40	2 29	n2 56	5 10	3 41
Hurleyville	.....		6 51	2 40	3 06	5 20	.....
Fallsburgh	15 15		6 58	2 48	3 14	5 27	4 19
Centreville	.....		7 05	2 53	n3 20	5 34	4 49
Mount'n D.	.....		7 11	3 02	n3 25	5 42	4 50
Ellenville lv	.....		6 00	7 00	2 55	5 35	.....
Summitville	5 50		6 21	7 27	3 20	6 02	5 15
Wurtsboro	.....		6 28	7 38	3 32	6 10	5 22
Bloom'g'bgh	.....		6 32	7 36	3 33	6 15	5 26
Winterton	.....		6 37	.....	n4 02	n6 19	5 45
M'town ar	6 20		6 53	7 55	3 55	4 20	6 35
M'town lv	6 30		7 00	8 05	4 05	4 30	6 50
M'town Main St.	6 32		7 02	8 07	4 07	4 32	6 52
Stony Ford	.....		7 15	n8 20	4 20	4 46	7 09
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Orr's Mills	7 12		7 42	.....	.....	5 12	n7 38
W Cornwall	.....		7 49	.....	.....	5 20	7 45
Cornwall	7 22		7 57	8 57	4 53	5 25	7 58
Weehawken	8 55		9 30	10 30	6 25	7 0	9 35
New York W. 42d St., N. Y.	9 10		9 40	10 40	6 35	7 10	9 45
Fkln St ar	9 25		9 55	10 55	6 50	7 25	10 00
	A	M	A	M	P M	P M	P M

A Saturday only. B Sunday only.
* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.
f Signifies that trains will stop on signal for passengers
n Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.
¶ Stop for meals.
Trains leave Hancock Junction 6.00 a. m. and 2.05 p. m., for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.
Trains leave Scranton 10 55 a. m. and 6 10 p.m. for Hancock Junction.
Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 55 and 11 20, a. m., 12 45, 3 50, 6 50 and 8 05 p. m. Saturday only at 5 35 p. m. Sunday only at 5 15 p. m.
Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 6 00, 7 00 and 10 50 a. m., 12 10 2 55 and 5 55 p. m. Saturday only at 4 45 p. m. Sunday only at 5 45 p. m.
Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 15 a. m, 5 15 p. m. Sunday only 10 00 a. m.
Trains leave Walton for Delhi 8 15 a. m., 2 55 and 8 50 p. m Sunday only 8 30 a. m
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SHOTS HERE AND THERE

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A Remarkable Family Gathering—A Very Dry and Very Hot July—Why Rain May be Expected Soon.

Among the guests at the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wakefield, at Uniontown, Pa., last Thursday, were Mr. Wakefield's parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Wakefield, aged respectively ninety-six and ninety-four years, who recently celebrated their diamond wedding. They have ten sons and daughters, the youngest being sixty years old. Dr. Wakefield was one of the best known circuit riders in the country many years ago. His radius was 325 miles, and he preached Methodism every day. He is the author of numerous works on preaching, rhetoric and grammar. He built the first pipe organ seen west of the Alleghany Mountains. It is still in Wakefield Chapel, Uniontown. When over seventy years of age he was elected to the Legislature.

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The month of July will be memorable in the annals of the weather for its continuous heat and great drouth, being the hottest and dryest July in many years. Sixteen days the thermometer went to 90° or above it, and on several occasions got well up toward 100°. On twenty-six days temperatures of 80° were recorded. The average of the maximum temperatures was 87.20° and of the minimum 65.60°. The average for the month was 76.40°. There were during the month eleven clear days, seventeen partially cloudy and three totally cloudy days. The only rainfalls in this section were occasional showers, most of them very light; with the exception of the severe storm of Wednesday, July 18th, when the rain for a few minutes came down in bucketsful, less than an inch of rain fell. It may be noted in this connection that the records of the Weather Bureau in New York show that the total rainfall of the year has been but 18 08 inches, while the average for sixteen years has been for the first seven months, 31 98 inches, thus showing a shortage of over thirteen inches.

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The Hicksite Quakers from all parts of North America, are to assemble, this week, at Chappaqua, Westchester county, and those who have watched these gatherings and the weather conditions that accompany them say that we may expect one of the rainiest weeks of the whole year, for a Quaker convention has seldom failed to bring on a rain. The same belief prevails in regard to the meetings of the Warwick Association of Old School Baptists, which many old citizens say can be warranted to end the dryest and most protracted drouth. It is easy enough to trace the connection between Old School Baptists and an abundance of water, but there is a missing link when we try to see why a Quaker meeting should be the signal for a downpour. It is, of course, only a coincidence that rain comes when Quaker conventions and Baptist Association meetings are held, and probably if other dates than August and June were selected for the Quaker meetings and Babtist Associations, the spell would be broken and they would lose their reputation as rainmakers.

COLLIDED WITH A WAGON.

A Bicyclist Slightly Injured and His Wheel Wrecked.

Yesterday morning a young man named Edward Felter was riding through Cottage street on his wheel. He was keeping a lookout for stones and did not see a farmer's wagon approaching from St. Joseph's Church.

He was awakened to a realization of his danger, however, when he ran head first into one of the horses, and was thrown under its feet. Thanks to the gentle horses, which stopped at the word of command, he was not trampled, but all the same, received several severe bruises and his wheel was wrecked.

Sussex County Has Plenty of Money Too.

Sussex county, as well as Orange, has a great amount of money lying idle in banks, the total being $855,595 22. The Sussex National at Newton has $304 685 08; the Merchants' National of Newton, $260,976 27, and the Farmers' National of Deckertown, $210,283 87.

The New Silk Mill.

The Hartley Silk Manufacturing Co. is setting up its machinery in the elevator building on Union street, and it is expected that some of the looms will be started up next week. The company has a large number of orders booked and will get to work as soon as possible.

The Golden Secret of Long Life.

Keep the head cool, the feet warm and the bowels open. Bacon's Celery King for the Nerves is a vegetable preparation and acts as a natural laxative, and is the greatest remedy ever discovered for the Cure of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, and all Blood, Liver and Kidney Diseases. Call on John J. Chambers, 21 West Main street, opp. Runyon's grocery, sole agent, and get a trial package free. Large size 50c and 25c.

REFRESHMENT VENDORS AT THE SUMMIT.

Catering to the Wants of Shohola Glen Excursionists When the Trains Stop for Water—Left Last Night With Unsold Stocks Because the Trains Dashed By—Origin and Growth of a Traffic that Has Assumed Large Proportions

The crowd of vendors which assembles every Sunday at the Summit was unusually large, yesterday. Three Shohola Glen excursion trains stopped there for water in the morning and the cries of the vendors soon brought the excursionists from the trains.

The ice cream man, who sells a pat of cream done up in paper with a pewter spoon thrown in for ten cents, did a rushing business. One man had constructed a sandwich van out of the remnants of a baby carriage, and the hungry crowd fairly knocked each other over in its eagerness to get a "bite" before the trains started.

A hot frankfurter man was on hand and also a pop corn "butcher." Milk and peanuts, however, are the principal articles on sale, the majority of the nineteen stands which were erected displaying these goods only.

The amount of business done in the few minutes that each train stopped was surprising. The skim milk disappeared like magic down the throats of the thirsty crowd, without any question as to its purity or regard for the cleanliness of the glasses in which the stuff was served.

Usually, upon the return trip, between 5:30 and 7:30 p. m., the same scenes are enacted, but yesterday afternoon all three trains went through without stopping, and the unfortunate speculators were left with a stock of perishable goods on hand. One man remarked to his neighbor, "Ye'll drink skim milk for dinner to-morrow, old man, and the old woman 'll have to make pot cheese for Tuesday."

One of the pioneers in the business told an ARGUS reporter that the business was not nearly as profitable as it was some six or seven years ago, when the idea of catering to the wants of the hungry and thirsty excursionists was first thought of.

Four men had the business to themselves at that time, and from ten to twelve cans of milk were disposed of every Sunday. Sandwiches and homemade pie and cake were also sold and everything was of the best quality.

The success of these four pioneers was, however, too much for the Summit crowd to stand, and many others were tempted to get what they called their share of the game.

The competition became so great that the price of the goods dropped to such figures as to leave very little margin for profit for any one individual, even though there was a deterioration in quality, and the pioneers were forced out of the business.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Business Transacted at the Monthly Meeting, To-day.

The Board of Excise held a regular monthly meeting, this morning. The license of James Davis, of Railroad avenue, was transferred to James DeGroat, Mr. Davis having sold out and returned to his former home at Summitville.

Alfred Allee made application for a restaurant license for the Quigley house at the corner of Union and Franklin streets, but as he had failed to file the necessary bond no action was taken in the matter. Messrs. Luckey and Gordon were on hand and offered remonstrances against granting any kind of license to the place.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Costs Paid and Complaint Withdrawn—Mrs Romer's Assault Case Adjourned.

—The case of Leahey vs Doyo, which was set down for trial this morning, was withdrawn, the defendant paying costs amounting to $4 50

—The cases of Mrs. Etta Romer vs. Louise Van Gorder and Mrs. Rufus Stickles were adjourned for one week, counsel for the latter producing a physician's certificate to the effect that his client was physically unable to be present in court. Mrs. Romer charges the defendants with assault in the third degree, they having set a dog on her when she attempted to drive them from a blackberry patch on her premises, one day last week.

Tossed by a Mad Bull.

W. P. Rose, a former resident of Livingston Manor, in Sullivan Co., was seriously injured yesterday in Newburgh, by a mad bull. He was tossed down a twenty foot embankment. Physicians says he may die of his injuries.

Fatally Wounded While Hunting

While hunting with a Winchester rifle, yesterday, near Newburgh, Charles Phinney accidentally discharged his weapon and was seriously wounded in the abdomen. It is expected he will die.

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[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

It is the most natural wish in life with women — to feel well and look nice.

It is born with them.

It makes a world of difference to the wee little girl whether or no there is a bit of pretty lace or bright ribbon about her dress or on her hat.

Yes! All women like to look nice. All watch for the least signs of fading.

You have seen beautiful ladies, and been amazed to know that they have lived fifty or sixty years of life.

Have you ever stopped to ask why the few look so lovely while the many around you are so haggard?

Look into it, and you will soon find them blessed with a perfect and healthy organism.

Above all, you will find that no female complaints have seared their lives; no dreadful backache, no irregular periods, no bearing down, or any kind of uterus, ovarian, or womb trouble.

You are not like them now, but you may reach their high level if you will.

You suffer, but there is a remedy.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the grandest remedy ever discovered for women. It restores the womb and all irregularities to their natural healthy condition, and makes possible a lovely old age. It cures every form of female complaint, from leucorrhœa to tumors in the womb.

AT LAKE RUTHERFORD.

Wantage Outing Club's Headquarters

From the New Jersey Herald

The Wantage Outing Club has become one of the institutions of the town. The headquarters are at Lake Rutherford (formerly known as Sand Pond), on the Blue Mountain above Coleville, and about eight miles from Deckertown. The cottages, of which so much has been said, are of sheet iron, ten in number, and about twenty three feet in length by sixteen in width; they were first used in the city of Philadelphia for election purposes, but being found unsuitable for the purpose were sold at an extremely low figure. Hardly a day passes that a picnic or private driving party from Deckertown does not visit the lake.

A STRANGE SICKNESS.

The Novel Ailment that Has Been Afflicting Fishkill People.

From the Fishkill Standard.

An epidemical sickness passed over this village within the past few days, and its effects are not yet entirely gone. People were afflicted with very severe headaches, the pain after a time shooting down the sides of the neck, and in some instances stiffening the neck, giving those afflicted the idea they were suffering a stroke of paralysis and nearly frightening them to death. It lasted but a day or two in each case. Other people had distressing attacks of diarrhœa. The question is, what caused it? Did the sudden changes in the weather bring it on?

Good News.

No other Medicine in the world was ever given such a test of its curative qualities, as Otto's Cure. Thousands of bottles of this great German remedy are being distributed FREE OF CHARGE, by druggists in this country, to those afflicted with Consumption, Asthma, Croup, severe Coughs, Pneumonia and all Throat and Lung diseases, giving the people proof that Otto's Cure will cure them and that it is the grandest triumph of Medical science. For sale only by John J. Chambers, 21 West Main street, opp. Runyon's grocery. Samples free. Large bottles 50c and 25c.

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We Have Applied the Hatchet

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Men's Pants at 35 cents.
Men's all wool Pants at $1.75
Men's all wool Suits at $4 75.
Men's Suits at $3.75
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